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FOREWORD

Just as surely as sunset must follow sunrise, so must each year follow the preceding one. As freshmen we enter the sunrise of our education; as seniors we leave at the sunset. High school days for all of us students at Granite Falls become shorter and more precious as each year passes.

It is only natural that we students should feel the need for something to look back on in future years to refresh our memories of these wonderful high school days. We have attempted to fill these pages with a collection of the highlights of our years at Granite Falls. Someday when these memories begin to fade, we hope the **Boulder** can revive them for us again and again.

"Sunrise, sunset . . . swiftly flow the days . . ."

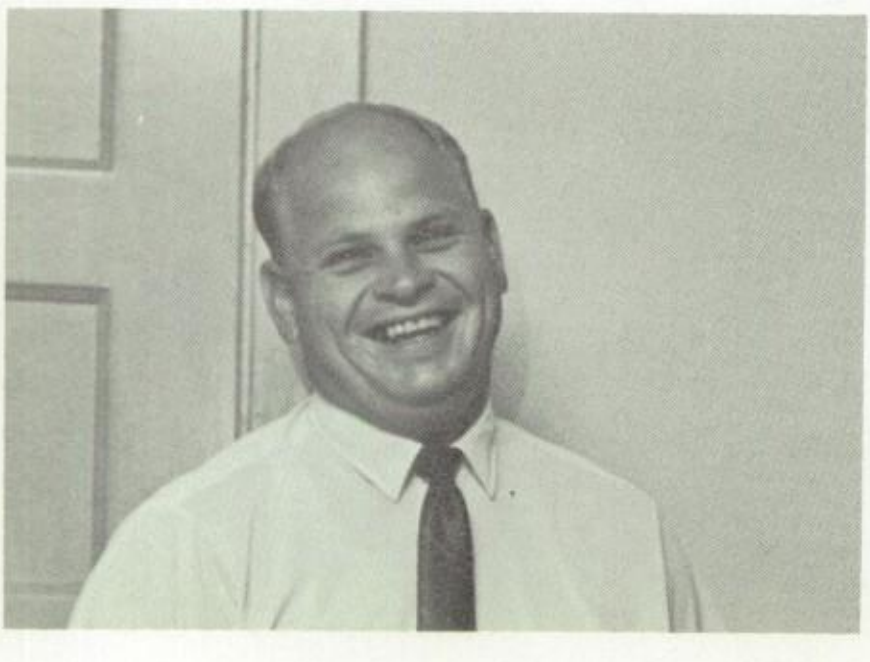
Among our memories will be those of . . .

homecoming,

Jr.-Sr.,

pep rallies, ballgames, and cheers of victory . . .

familiar faces,



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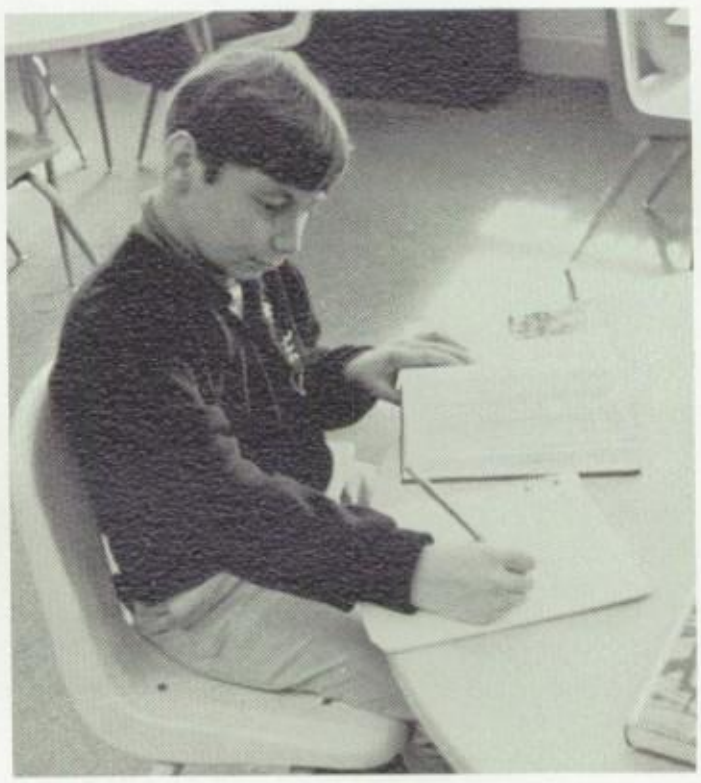


There are other memories of hours spent . . .

in biology lab,

working on research papers,

and studying for exams.

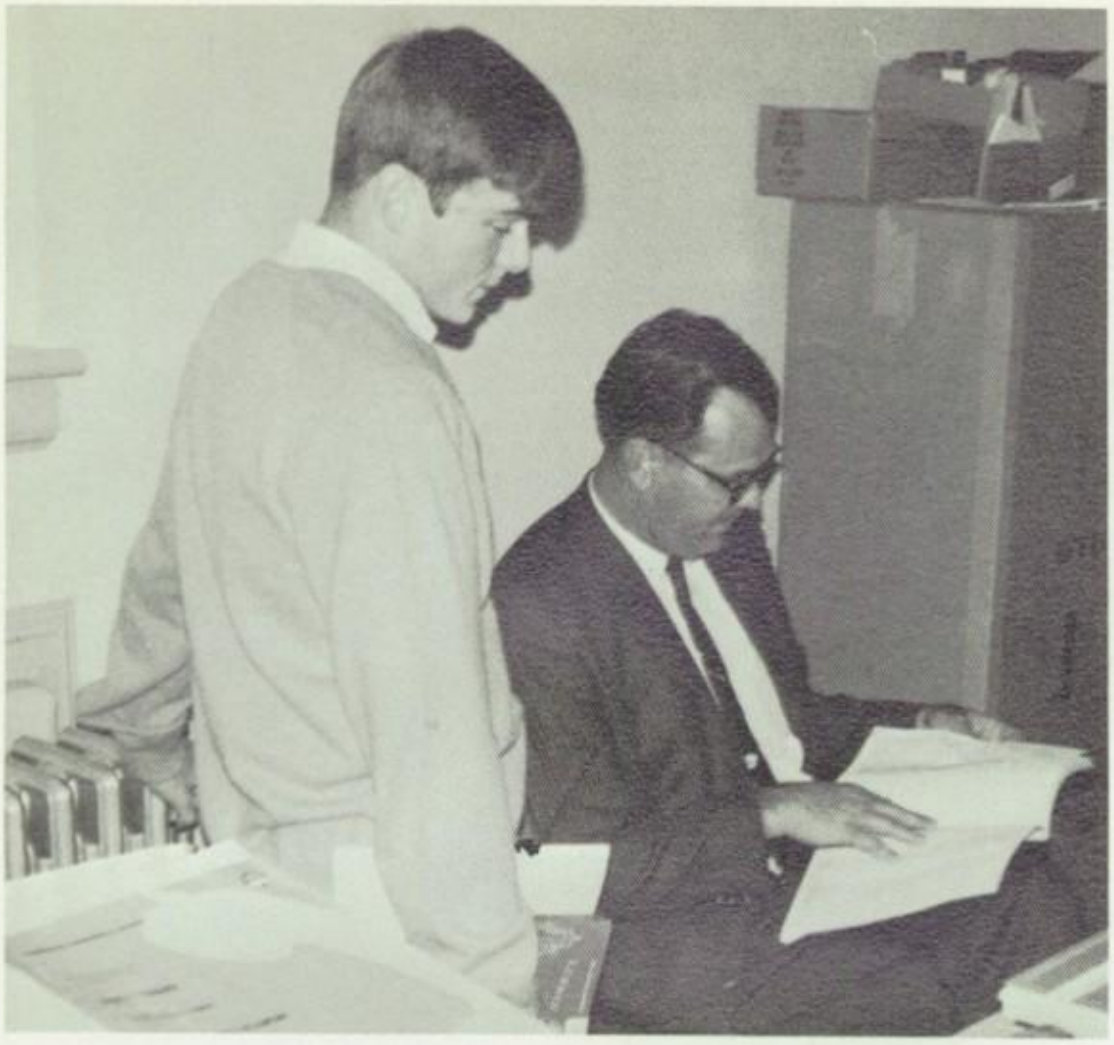
"Sunrise, sunset . . . swiftly fly the years;
One season following another . . ."

Then comes that long-awaited day,

graduation.

As we graduate, we not only look back at our school and to the years spent here where we grew and learned, worked and played, but we also look to the future and to the exciting years yet in store for us.

Mr. M. S. Deal



Mr. Deal counsels as both friend and advisor.

DEDICATION . . .

As one looks back through the past years, he recalls the people who have helped him through major decisions, such as the furthering of his education. One whom we will always remember is our guidance counselor, Mr. M. Sinclair Deal, who has guided many students to higher education, better jobs, and perhaps a better life. His genuine interest in the students of Granite Falls is shown in his understanding attitude toward each student's particular situation. During his years at Granite Falls Mr. Deal has also been very active in the athletic program of our school. In grateful recognition of his contribution of time, service, and self, we, the annual staff, proudly dedicate the 1969 **Boulder** to Mr. Deal.

IN MEMORIAM

MR. HOWARD CLARK

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Mr. Bill Metcalf

Mr. Metcalf has been a valuable asset to Granite Falls High School during his four years as principal here. He is willing to help any student with his problems, and his advice is always for the betterment of the student. We are very fortunate to have Mr. Metcalf for our principal.

Mr. Metcalf takes time to advise students at any time.

Mr. Metcalf enjoys a break from the office and his work.

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"Get a load of those getaway cars."

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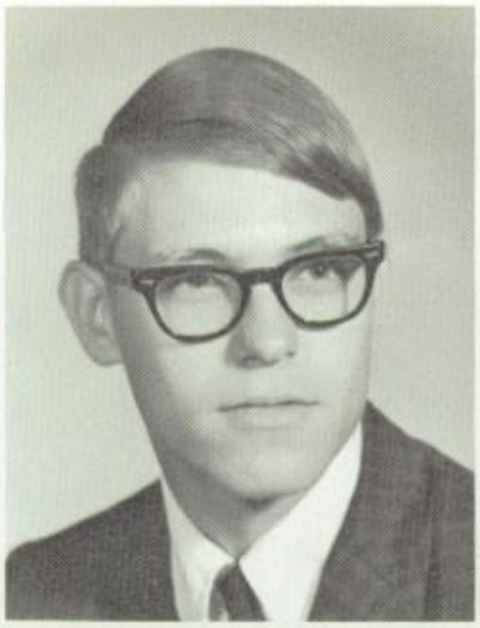

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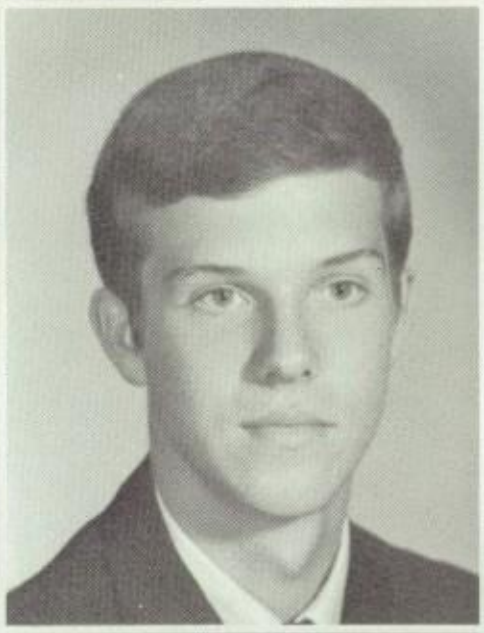

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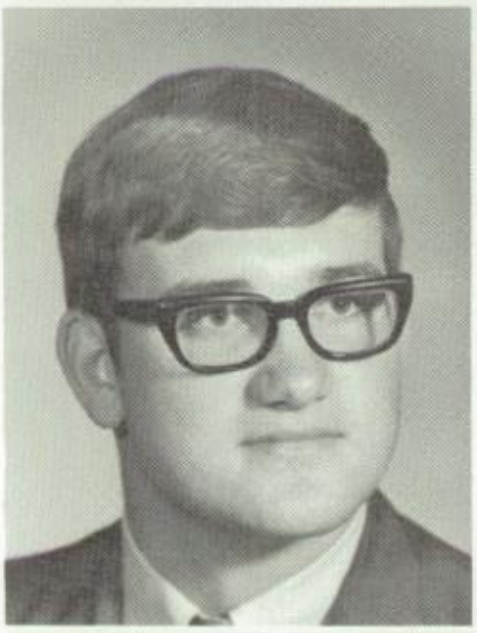

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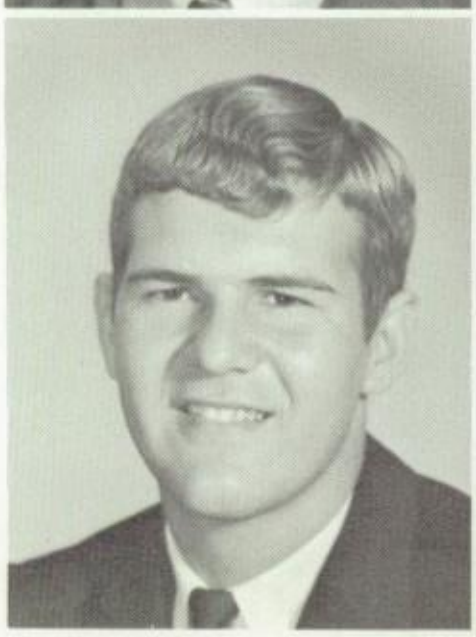

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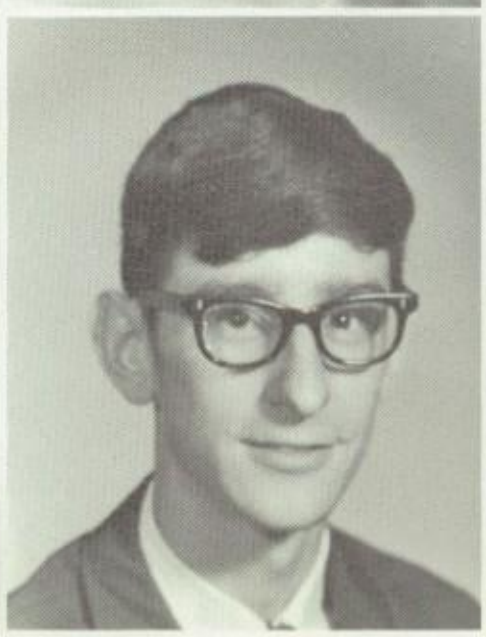

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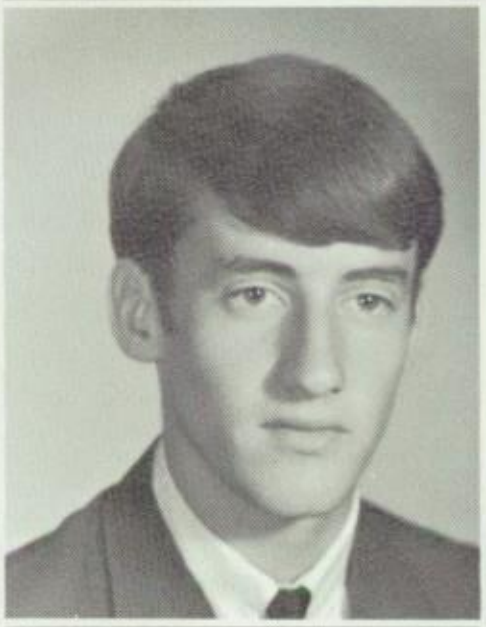

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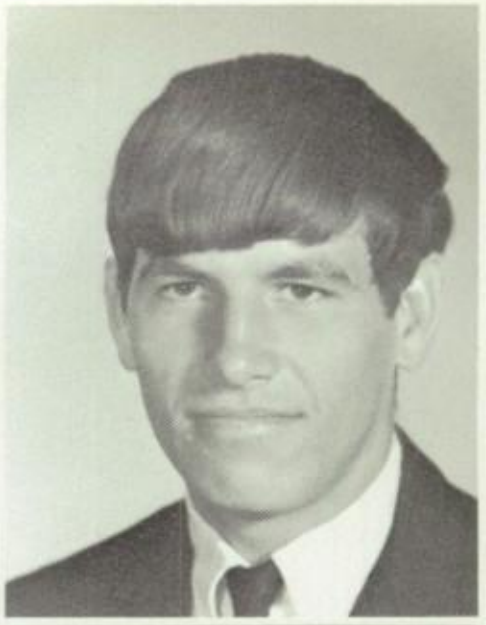

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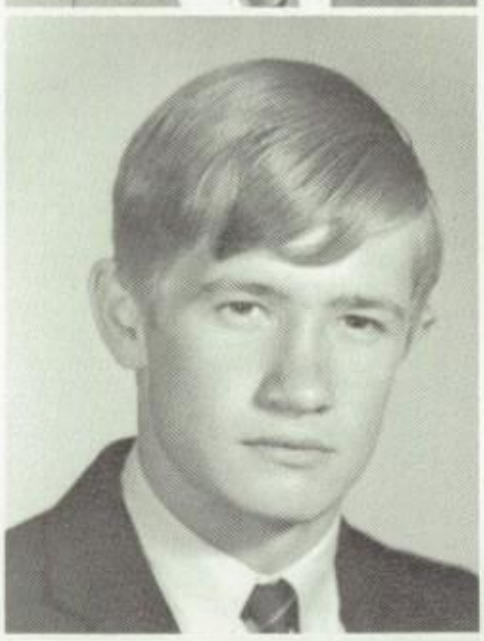

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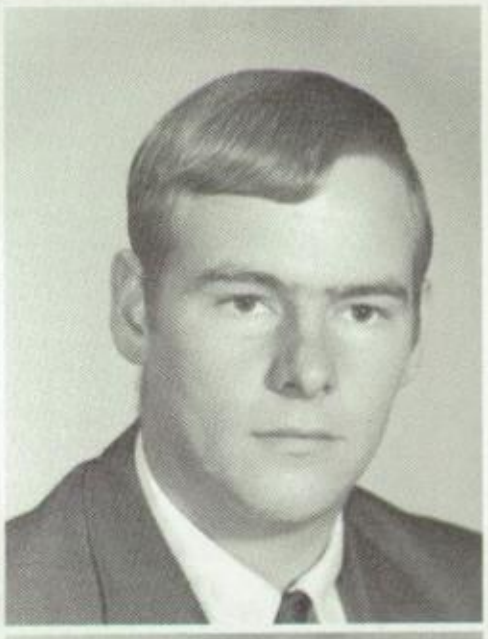

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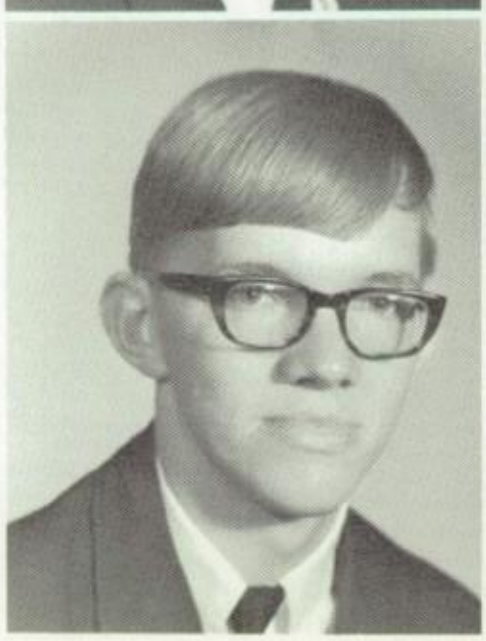

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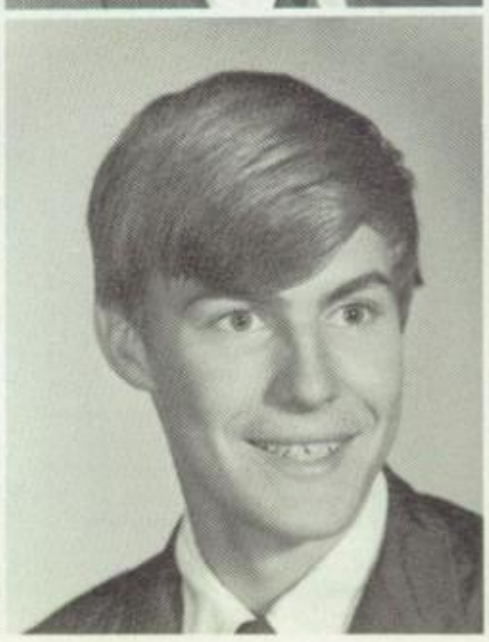

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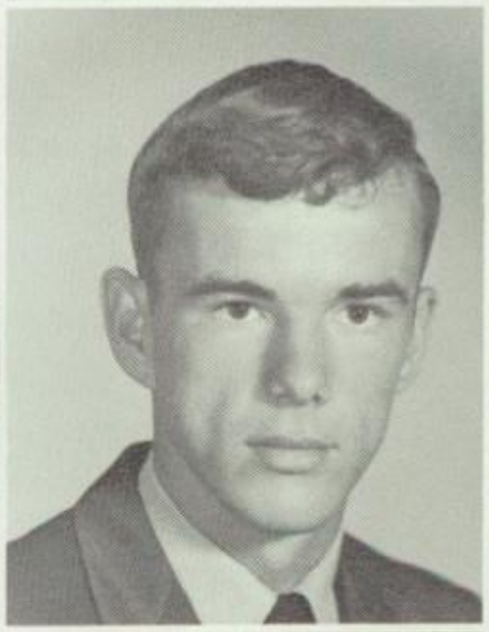

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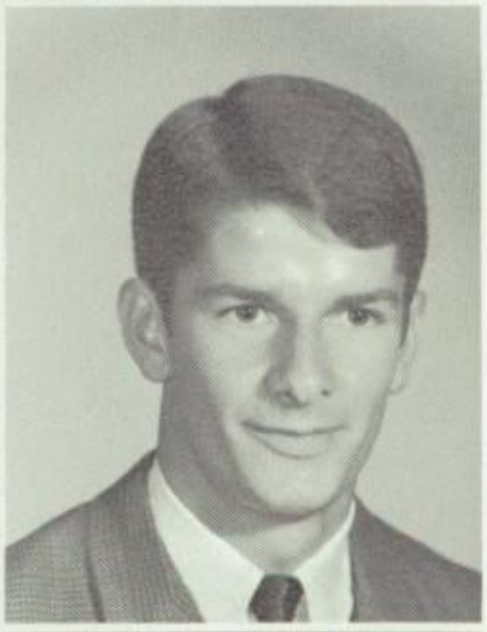

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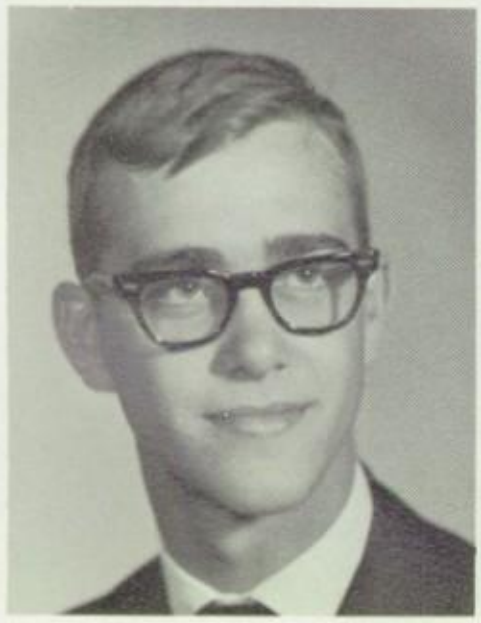

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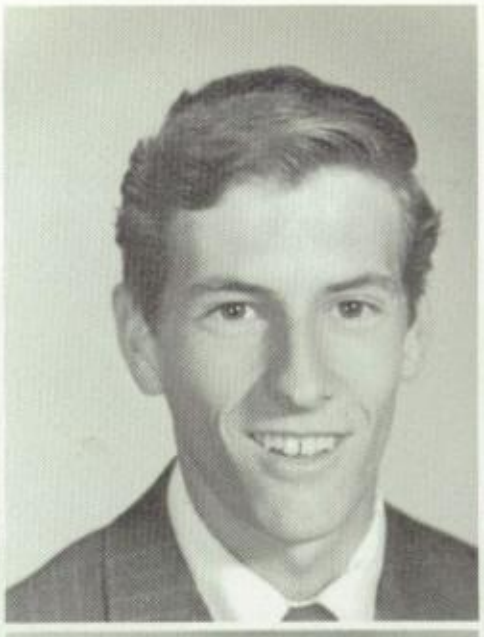

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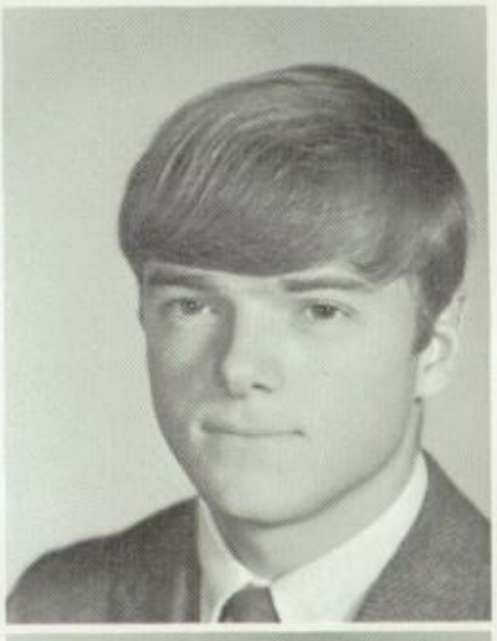

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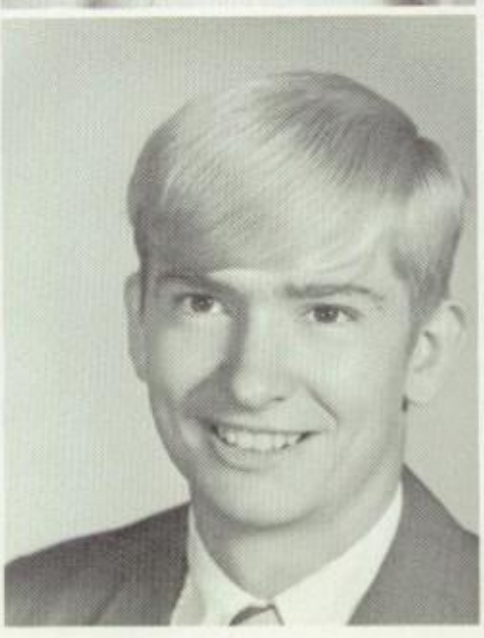

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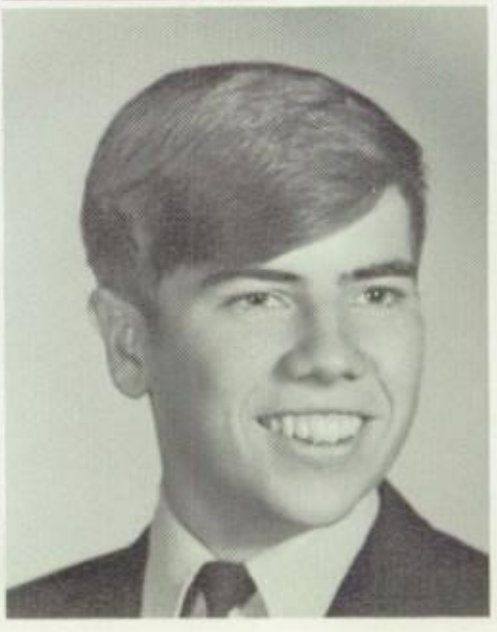

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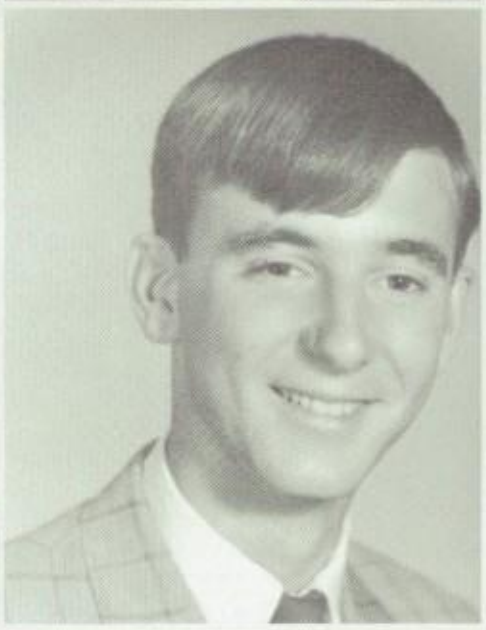

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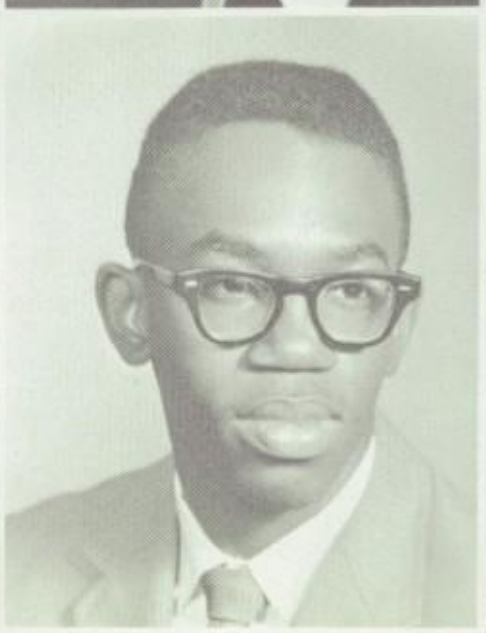

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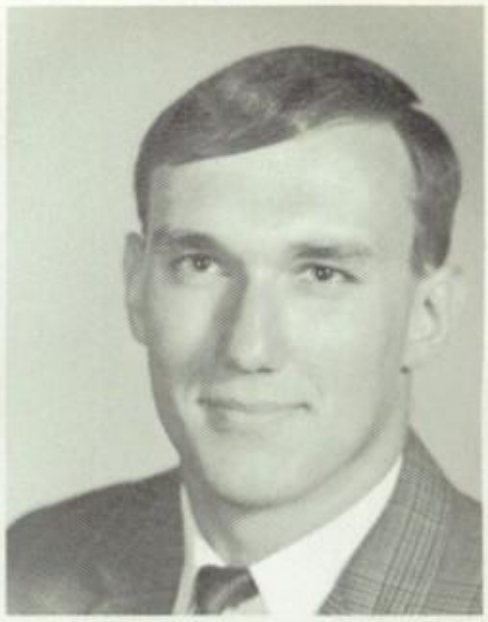

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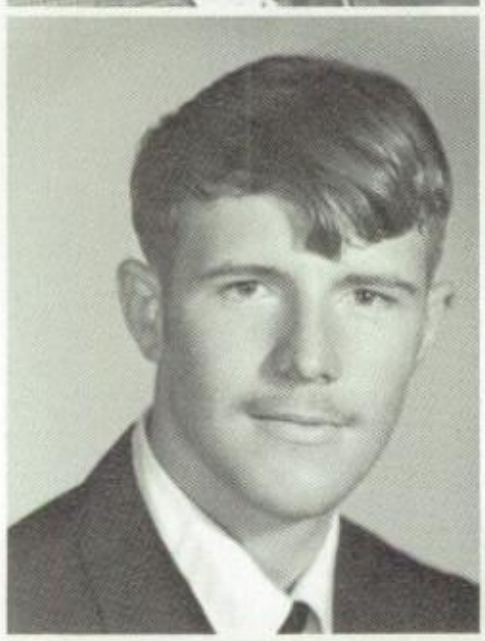

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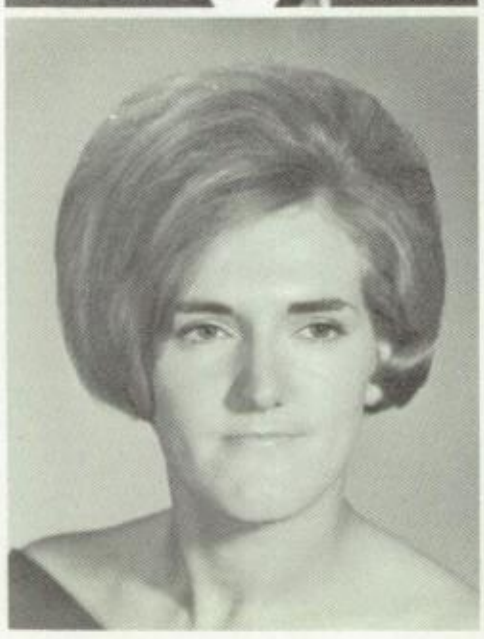

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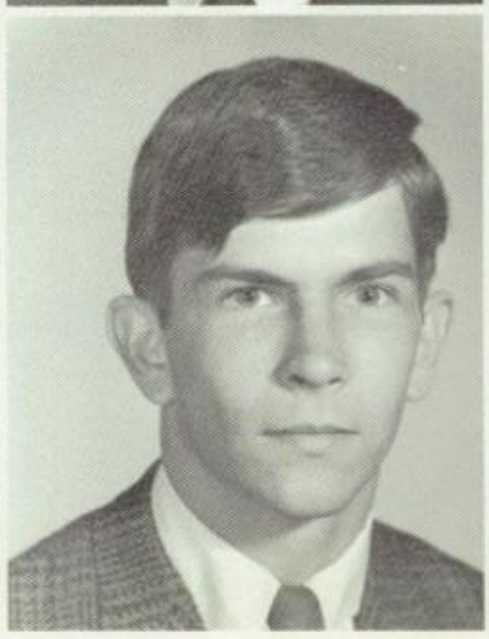

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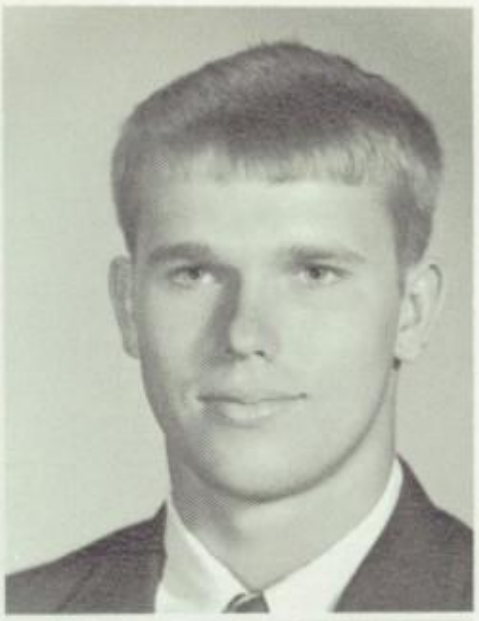

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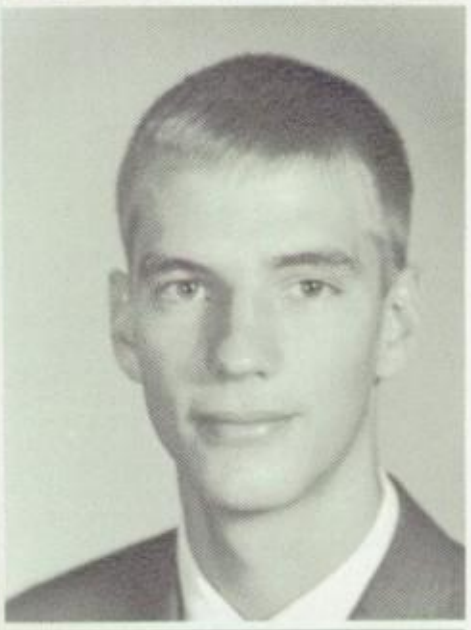

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Monogram Club 3, 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 4, V. Pres. 4; V.I.C.A. 3, 4; Track Team 3, 4; Bricklaying 3.

JUDY LYNN BENFIELD
Monogram Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2; F.H.A. 1; Band 1, 2; Chorus 1; Debating 1; V. Basketball 2; J.V. Basketball 1.

MARY CATHERINE BEANE
Office Staff 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; J.V. Cheerleader 2; V. Cheerleader 3, 4; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 2; Pep Club 3, 4.

RICHARD DALE BRIGHT
Homecoming Escort 2; Monogram Club 3, 4; J.V. Football 1, 2; V. Football 3, 4; Spanish Club 2; Debating 4; Radio Club 3, 4; Track Team 3, 4.

GEORGE EVERETTE BROWN, JR.
French Club 1, 2; V.I.C.A. 4.

JOHN STEVEN BUMGARNER
Homecoming Escort 1; Student Council 4, Parliamentarian 4; Newspaper Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Interact 3, 4; V. Football 2, 3, 4; J.V. Football 1; V. Basketball 2, 3; J.V. Basketball 1; Class Officer, Pres. 1; Wittiest 4; Jr.-Sr. Waiter 2; Pep Club 4.

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F.F.A. 2; V.I.C.A. 4.

LAURA GALE CALLOWAY
Homecoming Sponsor 3, 4; Student Council 2; Annual Staff 4; French Club 3, 4; Band 1, 2; J.V. Basketball 1; Pep Club 3; Best Looking 4.

BARBARA GAIL CANNON
Homecoming Sponsor 3, 4; French Club 3; Library Club 4, Secretary 4.

RICK ALLEN CARTER
Homecoming Escort 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 2, 3; Health Club 3.

PAUL CARSON
Homecoming Escort 2, 4; F.F.A. 2; V.I.C.A. 3, 4.

SHEILA KAY CARVER
Library Club 1, 3, 4, Reporter 4.

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F.H.A. 2; D.E.C.A. 3, 4.

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ROGER DALE CHURCH
Homecoming Escort 3, 4; F.F.A. 2; D.E.C.A. 3, 4.

TONI DALE CLONTZ
Newspaper Staff 2, 3, 4; French Club 4; Chorus 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; J.V. Basketball 1; Jr.-Sr. Decorating Comm. 3.

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Homecoming Escort 3; Annual Staff 4; V. Football 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Track Team 3, 4; Jr.-Sr. Decorating Comm. 3; Pep Club 3, 4; Salem High School 1.

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Homecoming Sponsor 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Newspaper Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Spanish Club; Debating 4; Health Careers Club 2, 3, 4; V. Basketball 2, 3, 4, Co-Capt. 3; J.V. Basketball 1; Most Athletic 4; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 2; Jr.-Sr. Decorating Comm. 3; Pep Club 2, 3; Most Valuable Player Award 3.

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Newspaper Staff 3, 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Interact Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; F.F.A. 1; Debating 4; Radio Club 3, 4; F.T.A. 3, 4; V. Football 3, 4.

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Monogram 1, 2, 3, 4; Interact 1, 2, 3, 4; V.I.C.A. 3, 4; V. Football 2, 3, 4; J.V. Football 1; Track Team 1, 2, 3, 4; Bricklaying.

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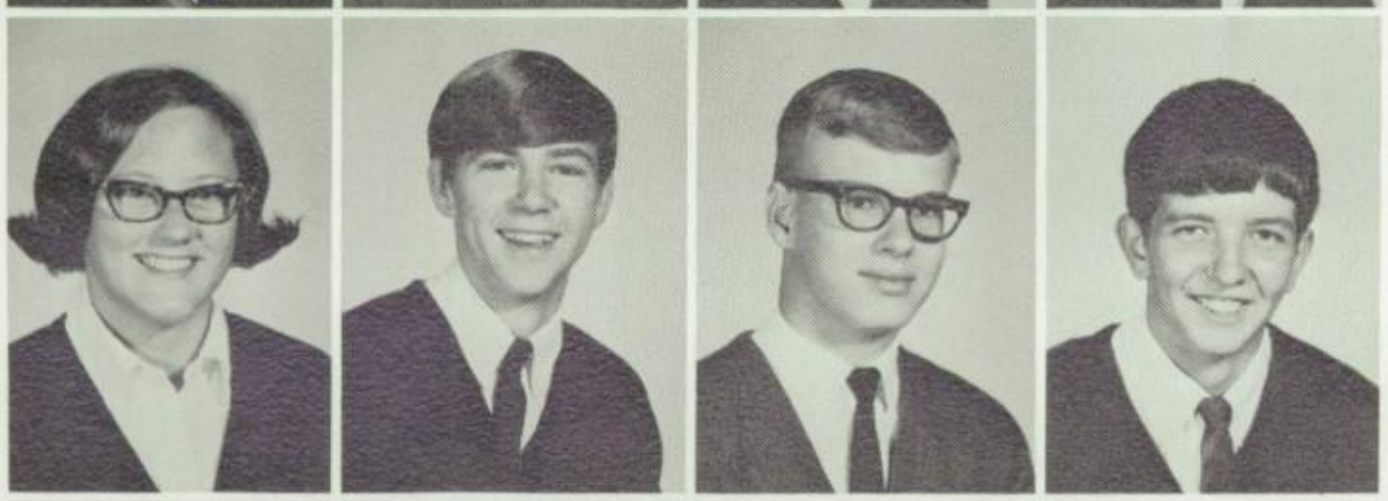

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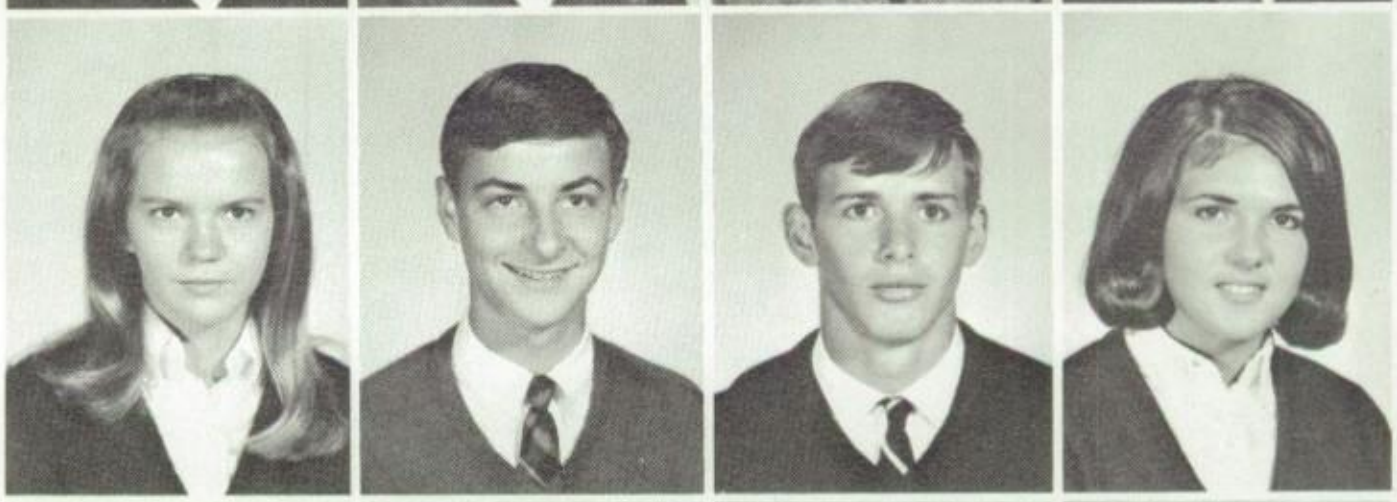

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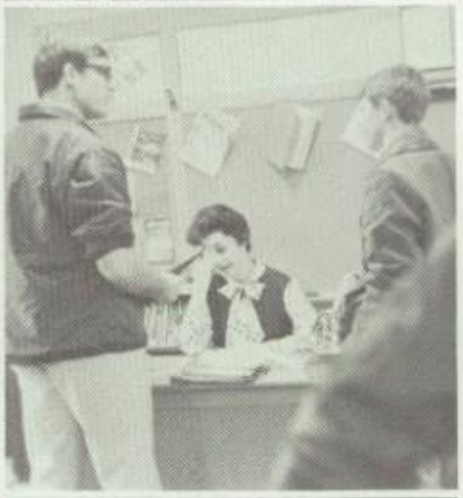

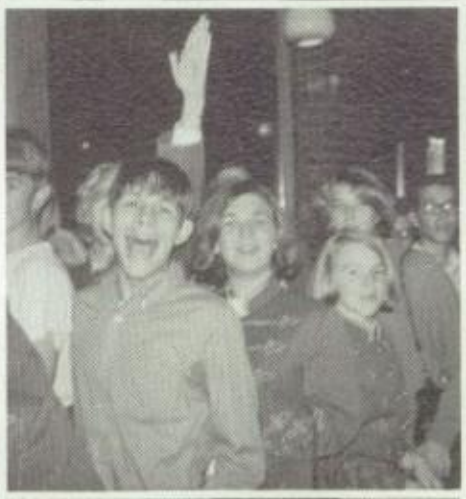

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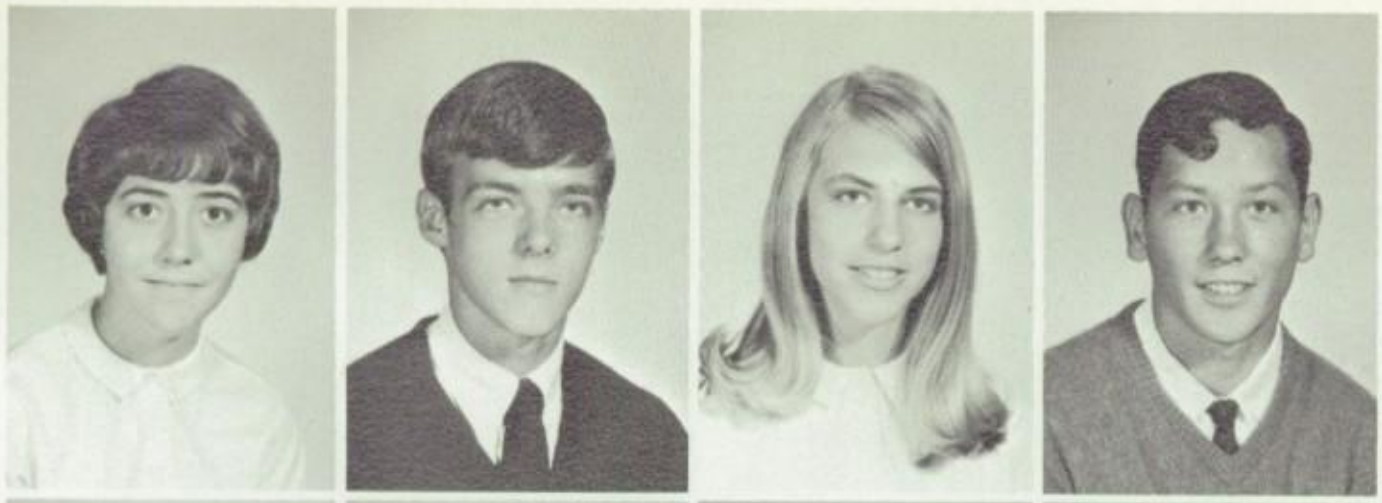

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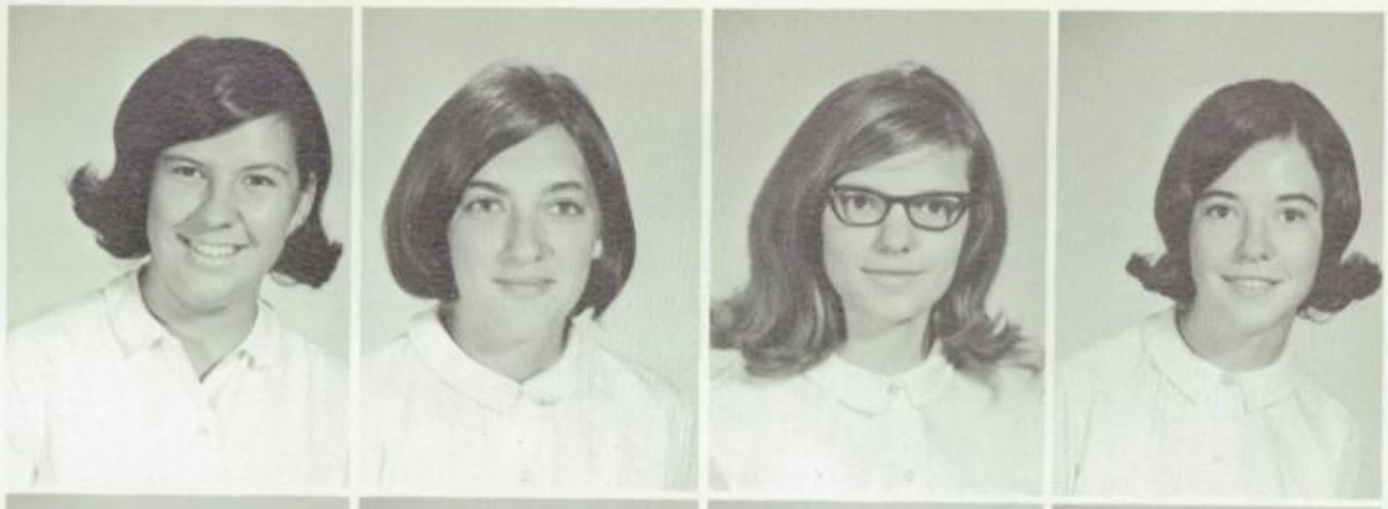

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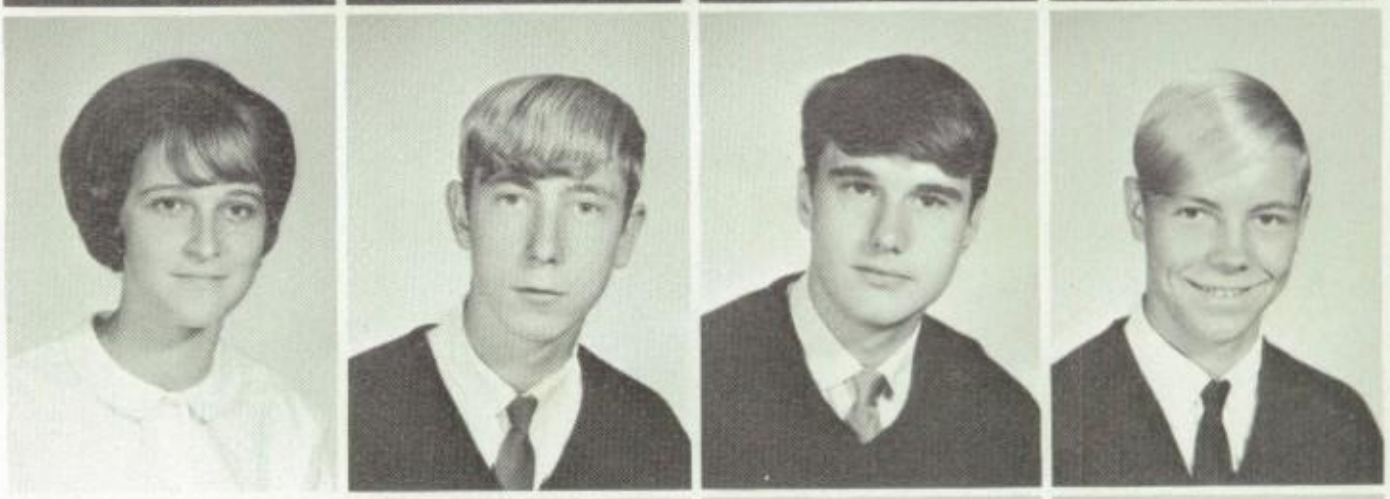

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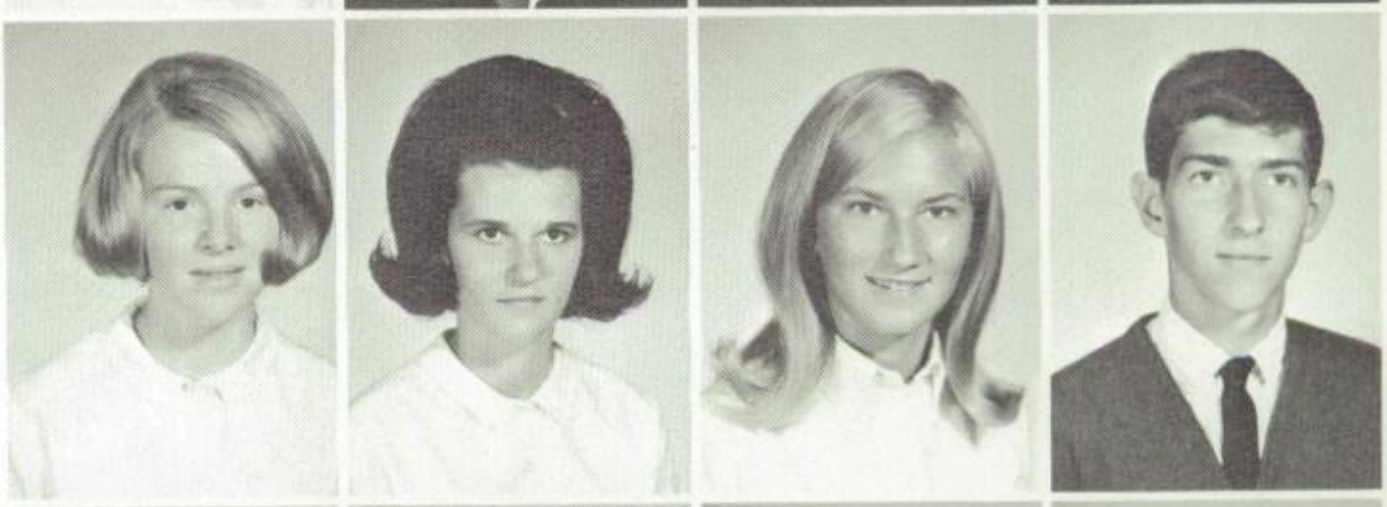

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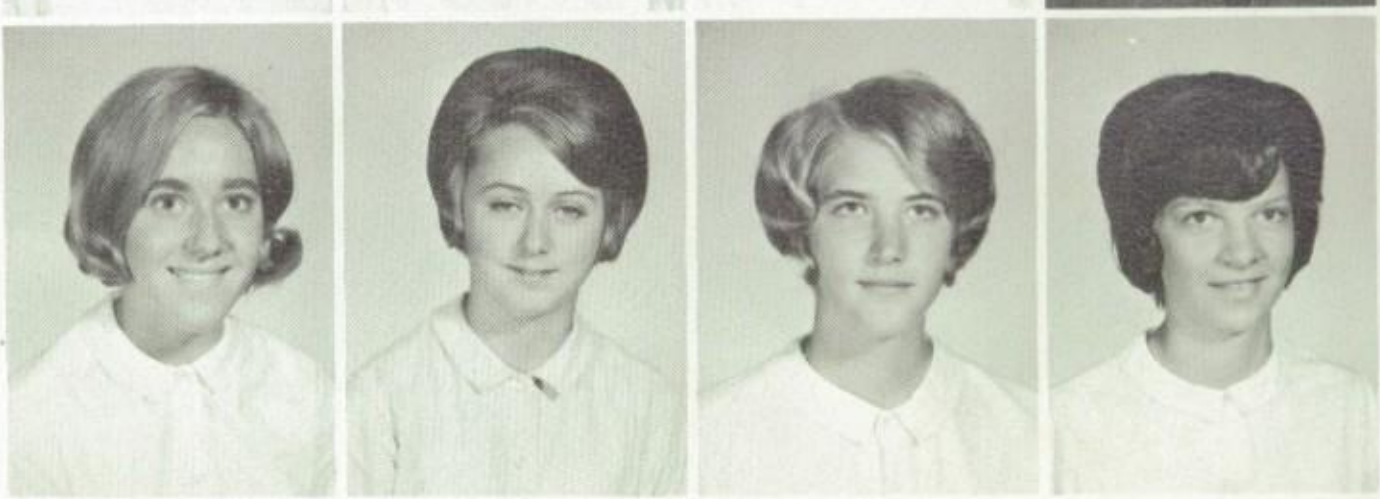

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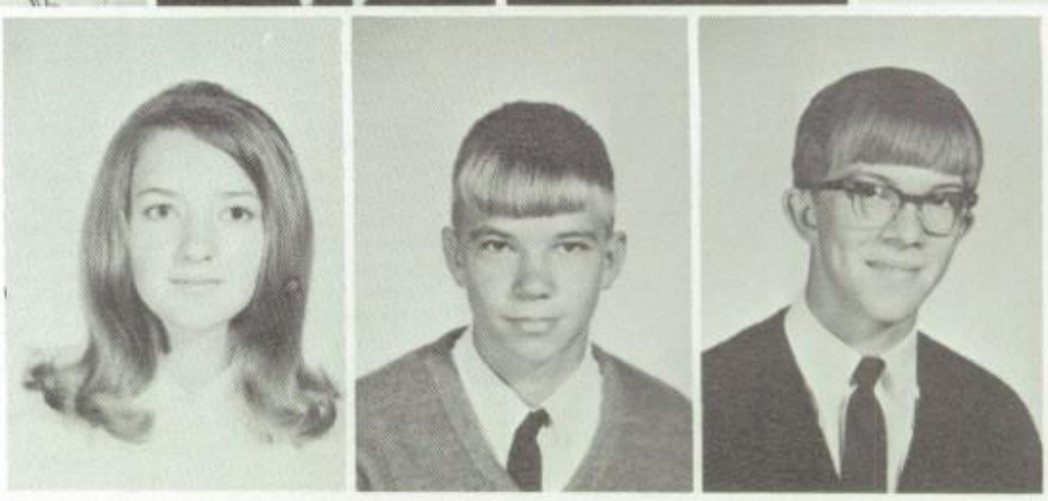

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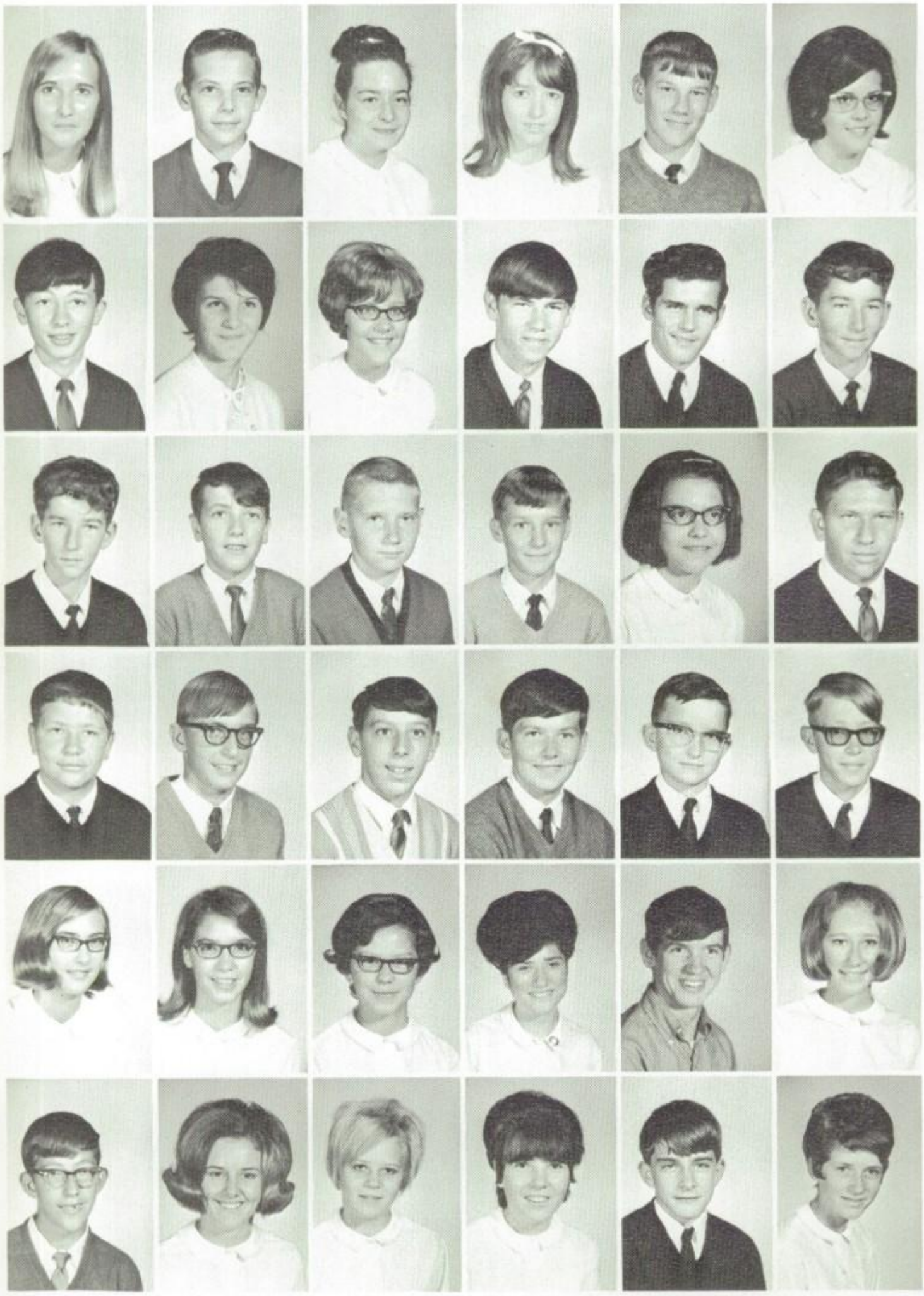

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FEATURES

HOMECOMING QUEEN

Miss Brenda Church

MAID OF HONOR

Becky Sullivan

Homecoming Court

ROW 1: K. Knight, M. Jones, J. Keener, J. Freeman, B. Miller, B. Sullivan, B. Church, N. Reece. ROW 2: D. Sigmon, P. Looper, P. Corpening, P. Carson, G. Mundy, R. Richards, D. Whitner, R. Noggle.

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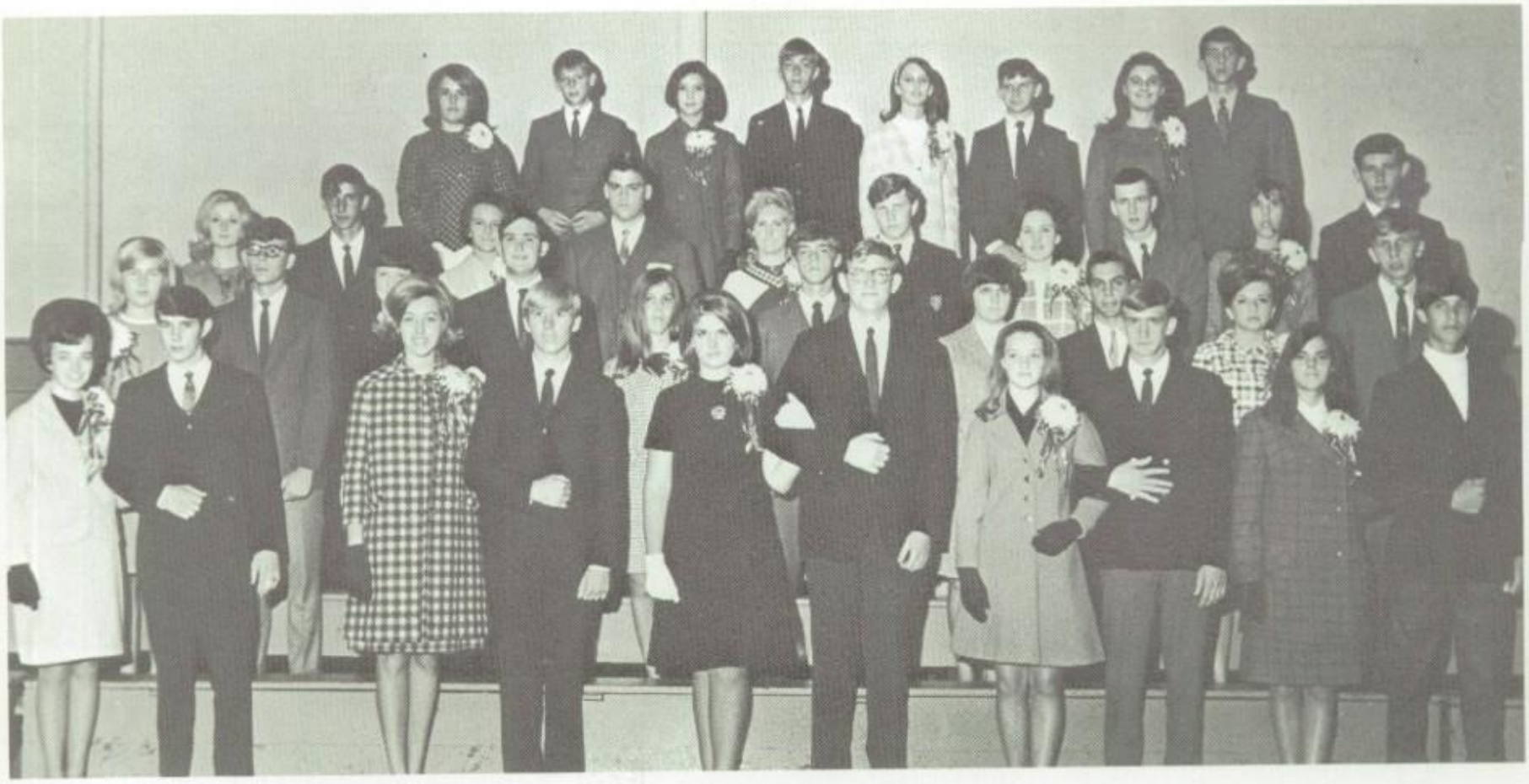

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ROW 1: R. Bumgarner, T. Presnell, V. Laxton, S. Sherrill, P. Miracle, R. Teague, M. Tucker, T. Settlemyre, P. Husky, R. Shore, S. Kiziah, L. Kistler, K. Laxton, R. Williams, C. Storie, J. Helton, D. Kirby, K. Church, S. Reid, T. Hendrix. ROW 3: S. Weitzel, R. Richards, M. Starnes, K. Bumgarner, D. Anderson, D. Ferrell, K. Mitchum, B. Hartsoe, K. Estes, B. Sims, M. Kohnle. ROW 4: T. Icard, W. Yount, T. Bumgarner, D. Good, R. Johnson, A. Story, D. Laxton, T. Moore, A. Sherrill, J. Tucker. ROW 5: P. Richards, D. Brady, M. Huffman, D. Annas, S. Bumgarner, J. Childers, K. Spencer, T. Teague, S. Price, R. Carter.

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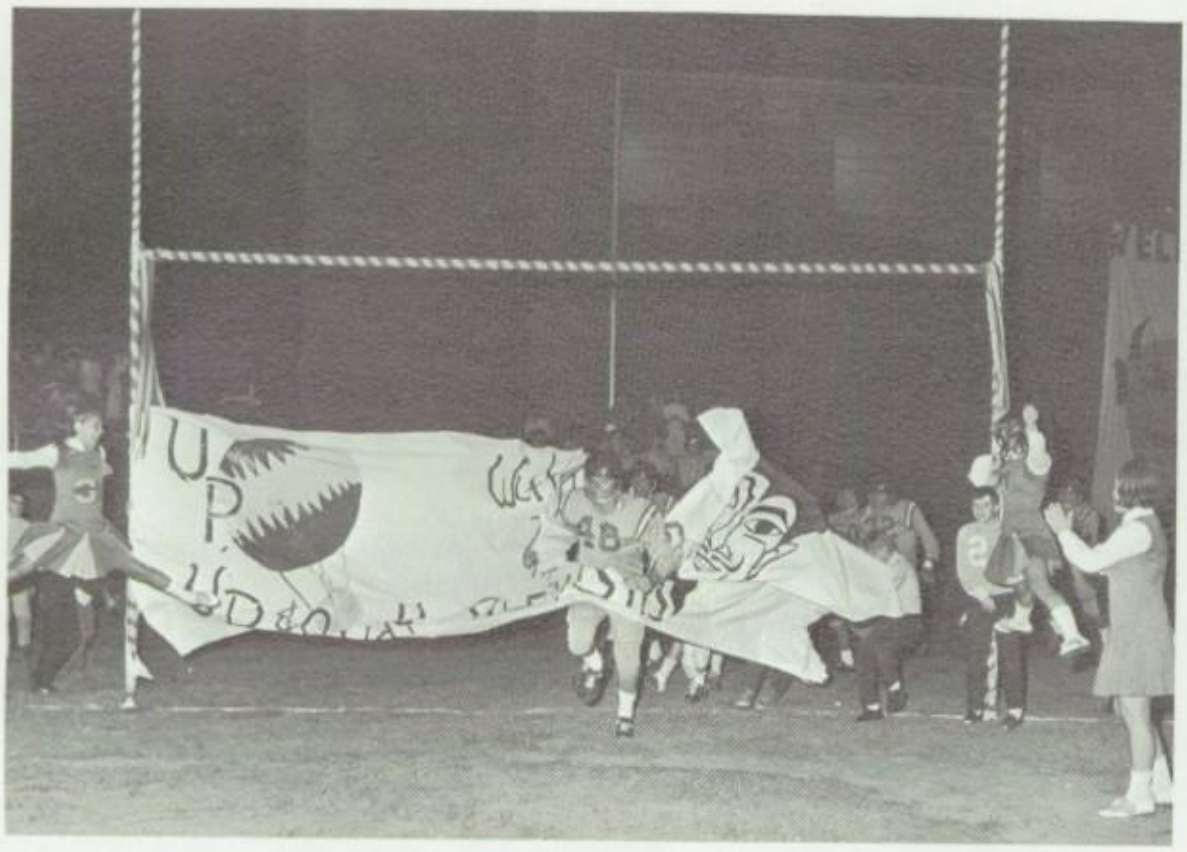

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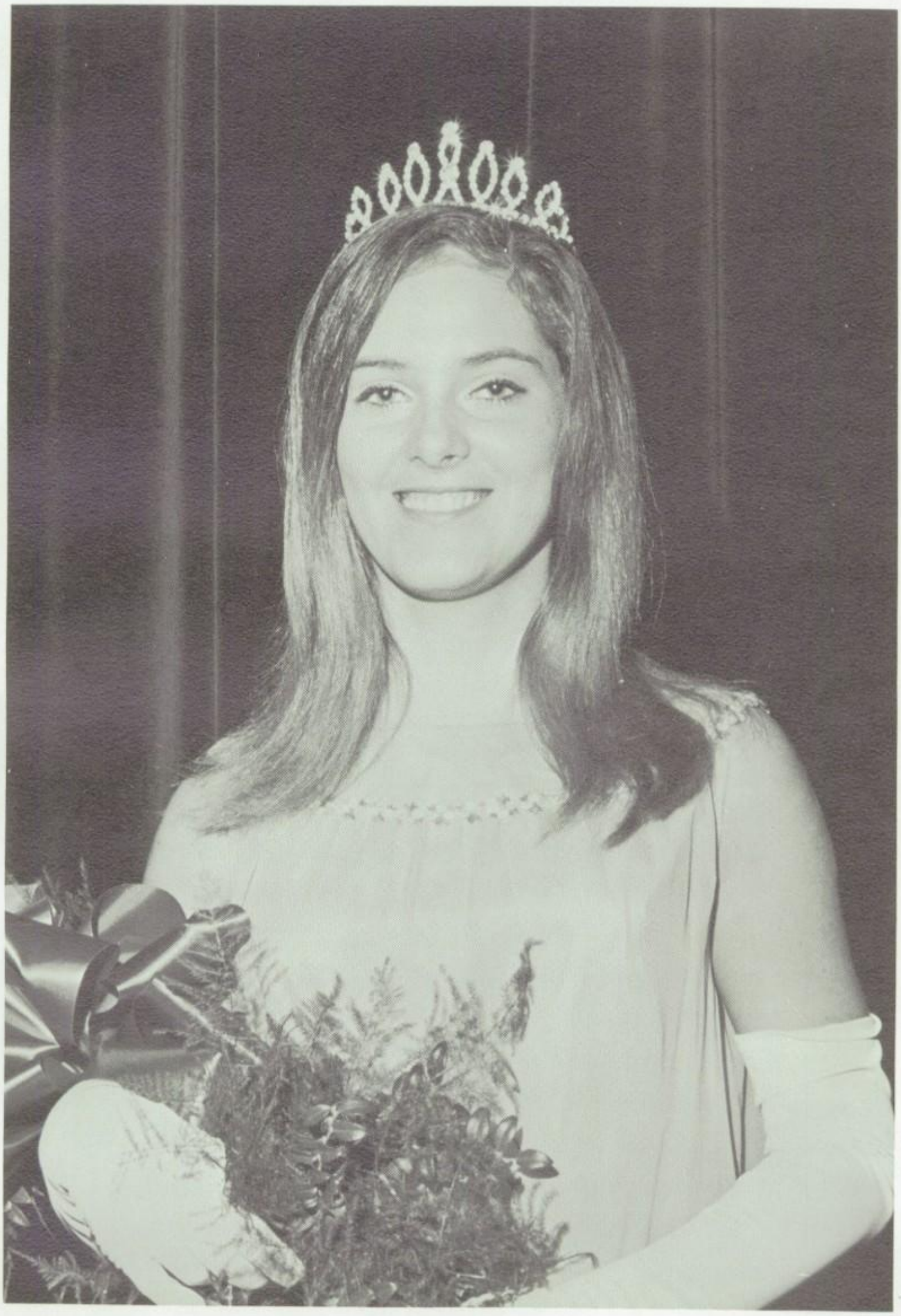
Miss Nancy Reece

CARROUSEL PRINCESS



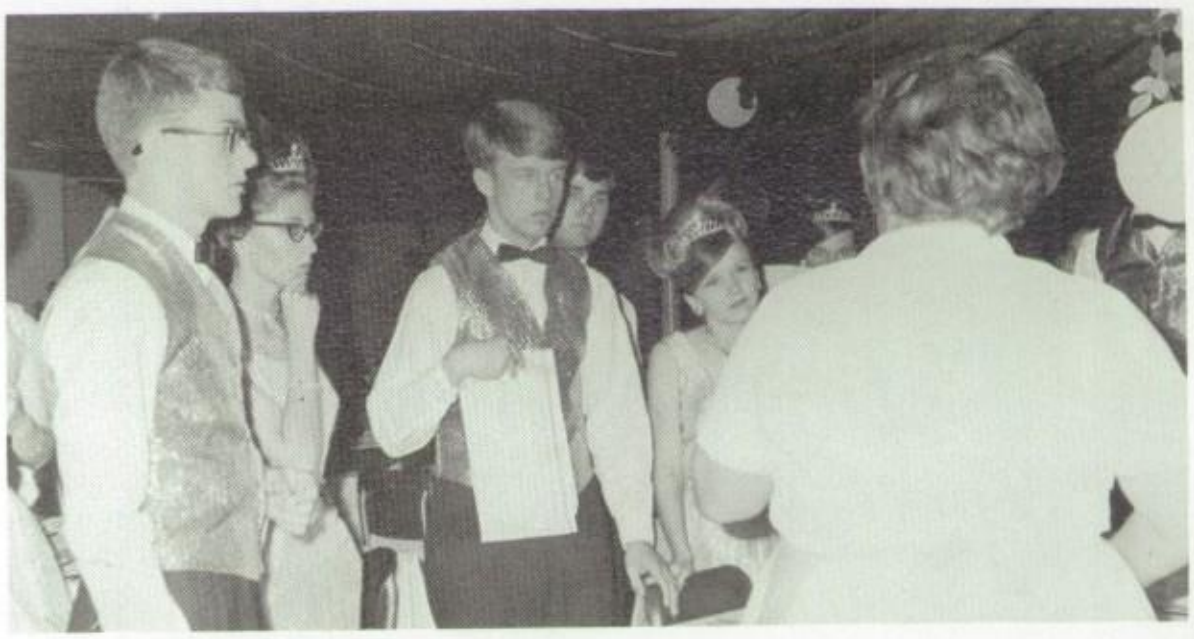
Miss Debbie Kirby

JR.-SR.
1968

SLAVES!!!

We can't stand here all night. They must be getting hungry!"

"Who spiked my drink?"



"No! You don't get paid, Gene, so just take your towel and go home!"

"I think it's ridiculous to play pat-a-cake at a Junior-Senior Banquet!"

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

MOST POPULAR
Brenda Church and Vaughn Starnes

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Linda Lail and Freddie Sides

MOST VERSATILE
Becky Sullivan and Richard Sears

SENIOR

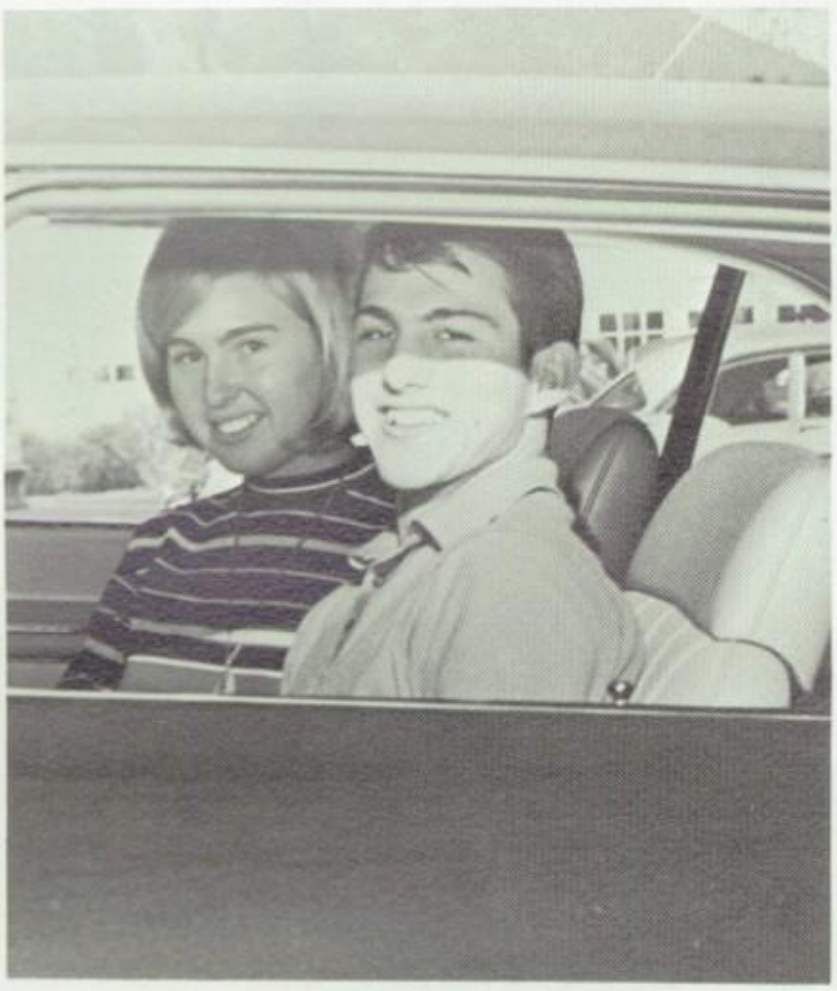
MOST DEPENDABLE
Helen Harrison and Terry Edwards

WITTIEST
Susan Price and Steve Bumgarner

MOST ATHLETIC
Carol Corpening and William Settlemyre

SUPERLATIVES

NEATEST
Beth Miller and James Helton



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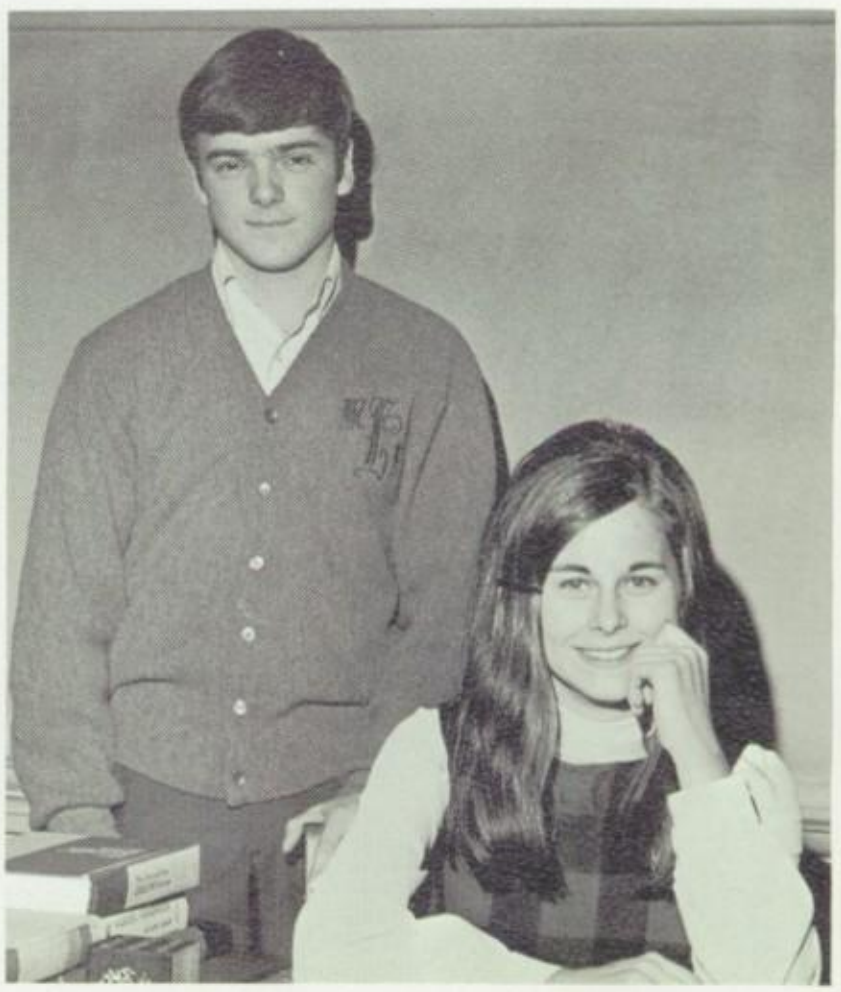
Gale Calloway and Richard Jones

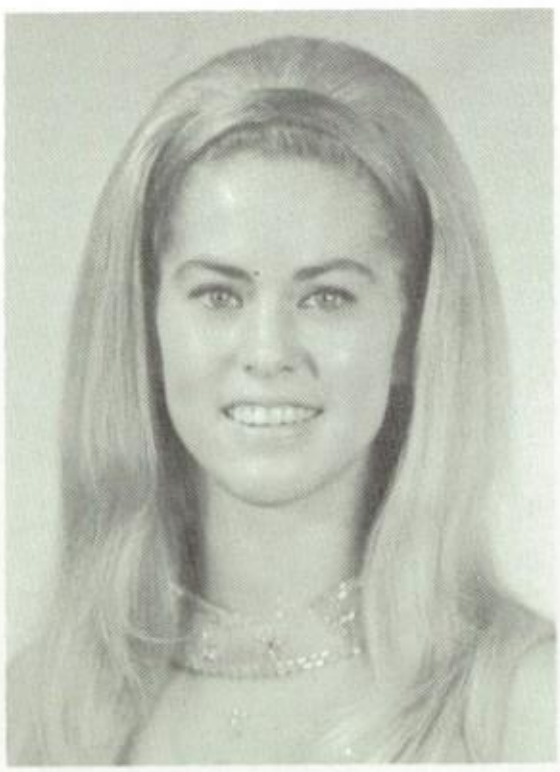


CUTEST
Billie Sue Harmon and Mike Laney

HONORS
JUNIOR MARSHALS

Linda Lail, Gwennie Kirby, Becky Sullivan, Beth Miller, Jane Smith, Richard Sears, Brenda Church, Helen Harrison, Freddie Sides.

CHIEF MARSHALS



Beth Miller

Linda Lail

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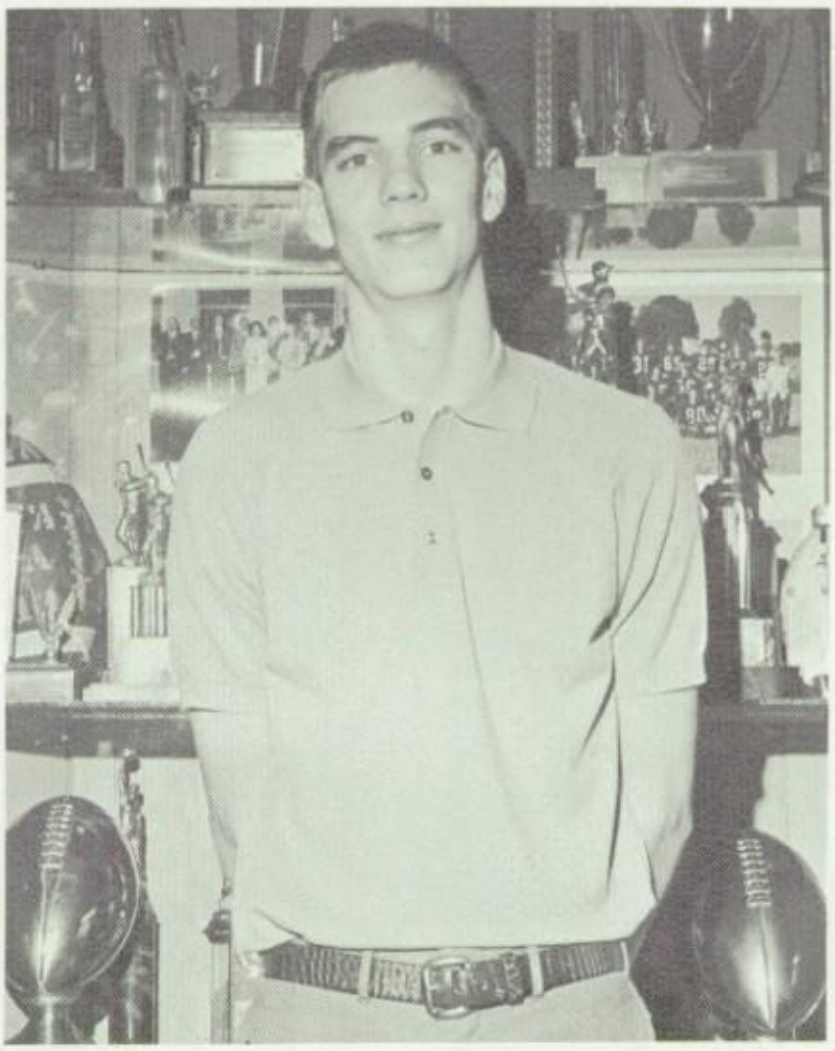

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MOREHEAD NOMINEE

Richard Sears

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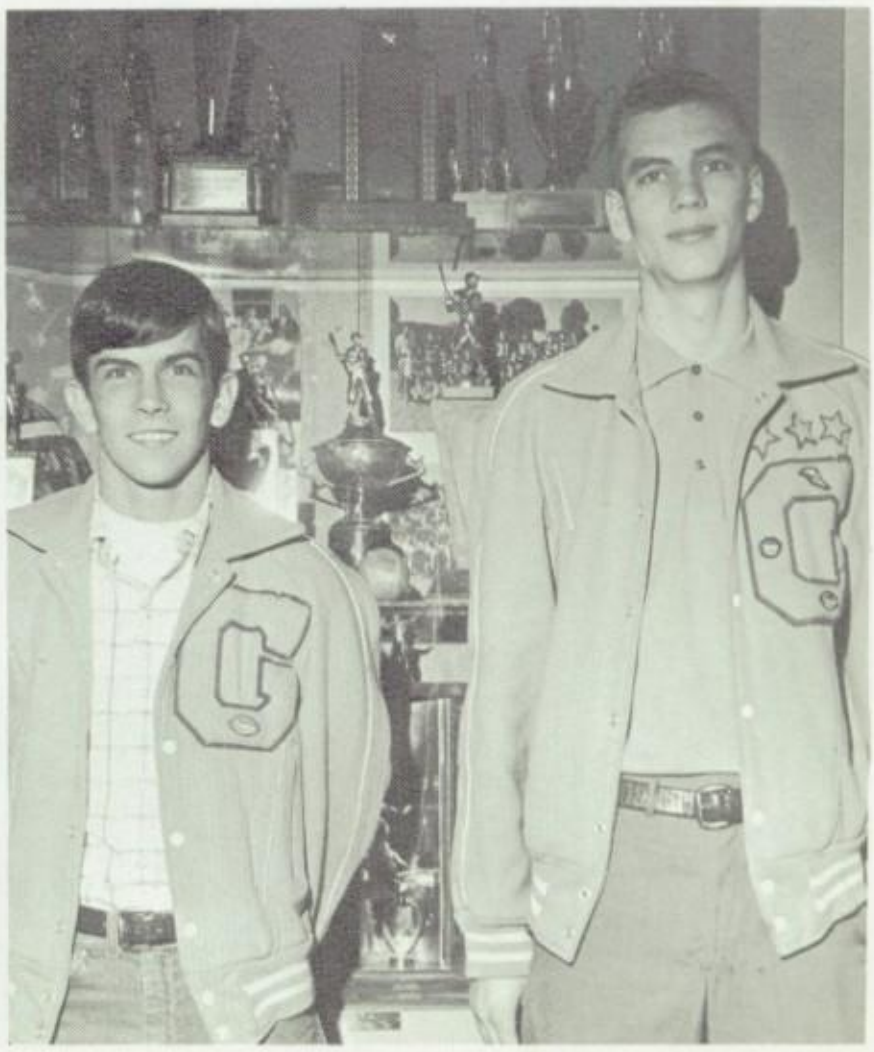

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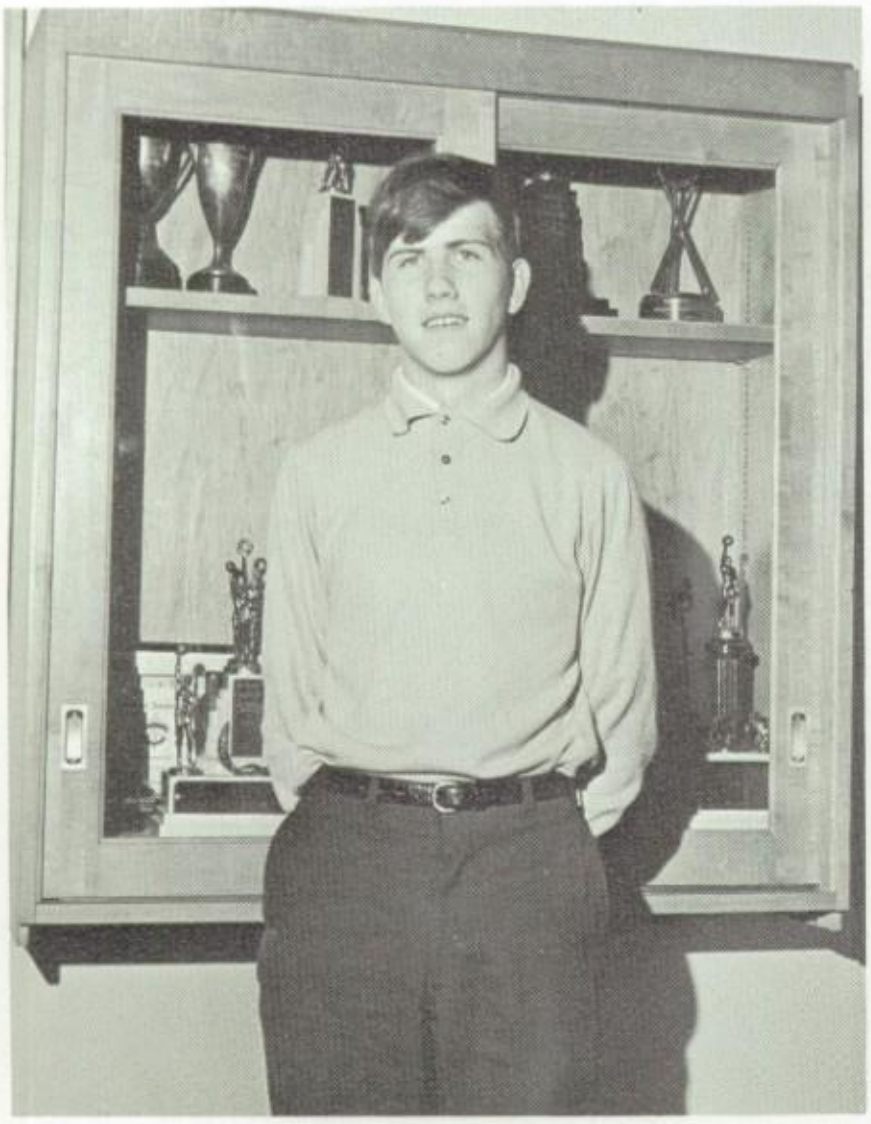
HONORS

BREVARD MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP



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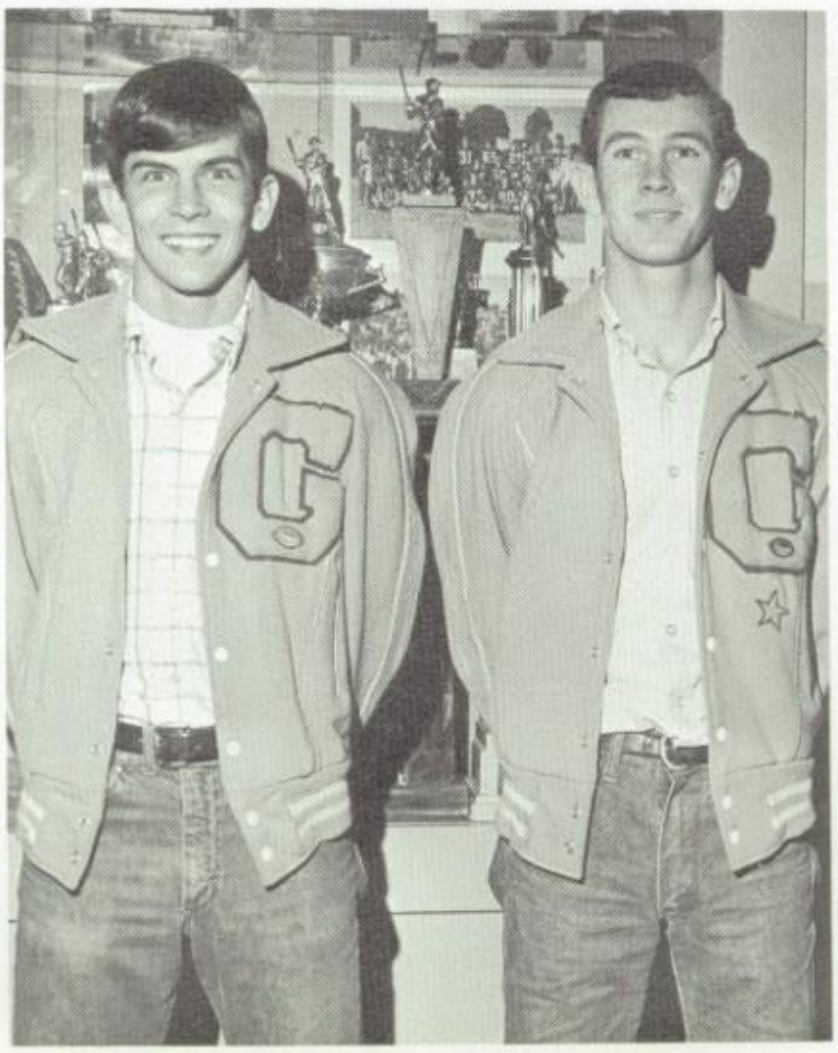
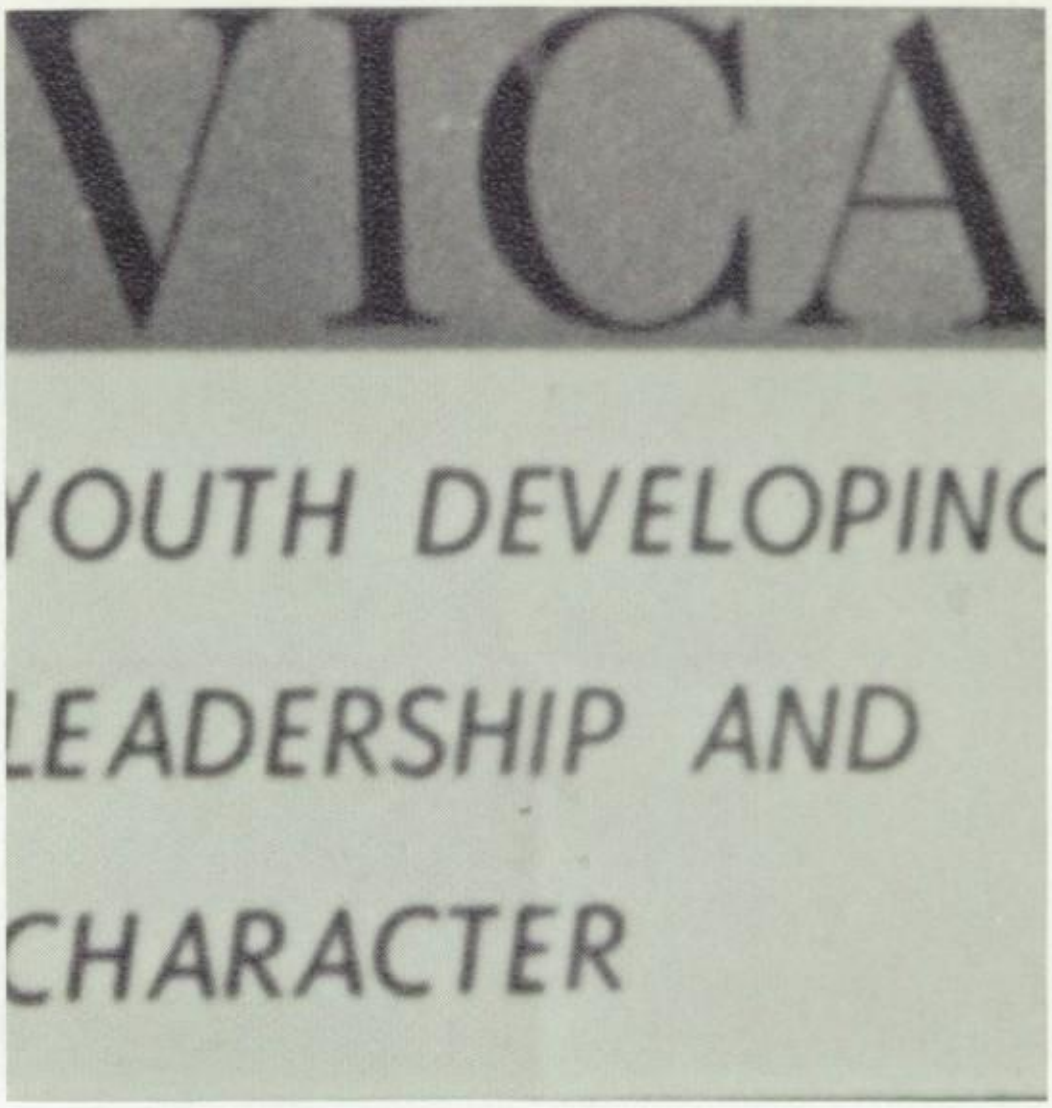
Becky Sullivan

ALL-CONFERENCE BASEBALL



Lynn Smith William Settlemyre

ORGANIZATIONS



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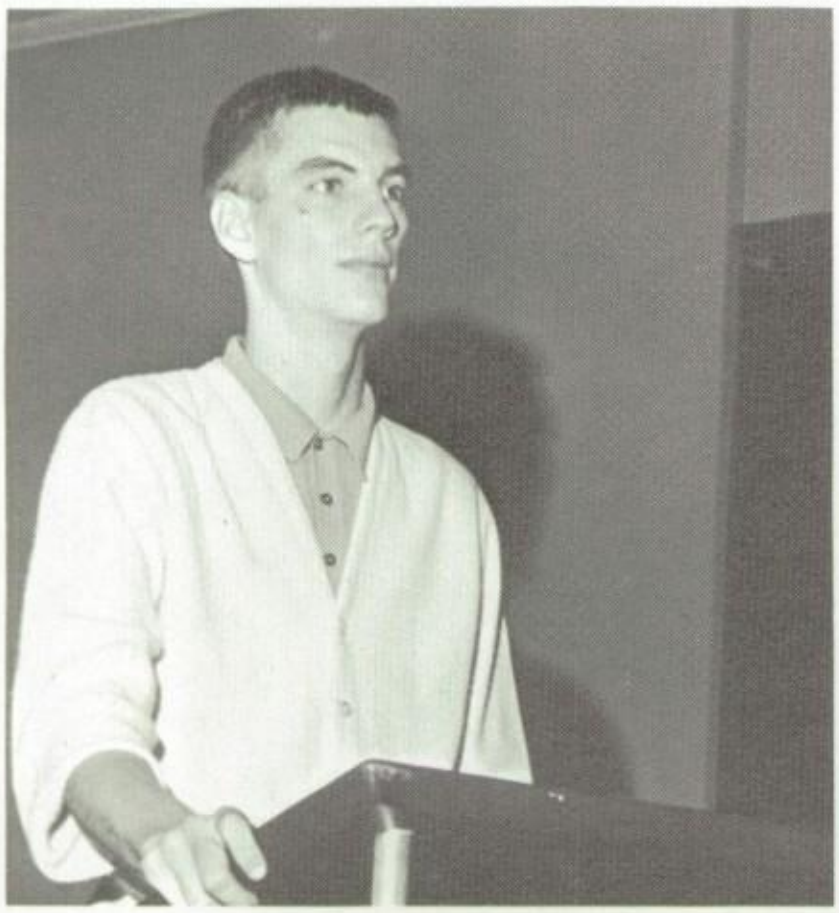

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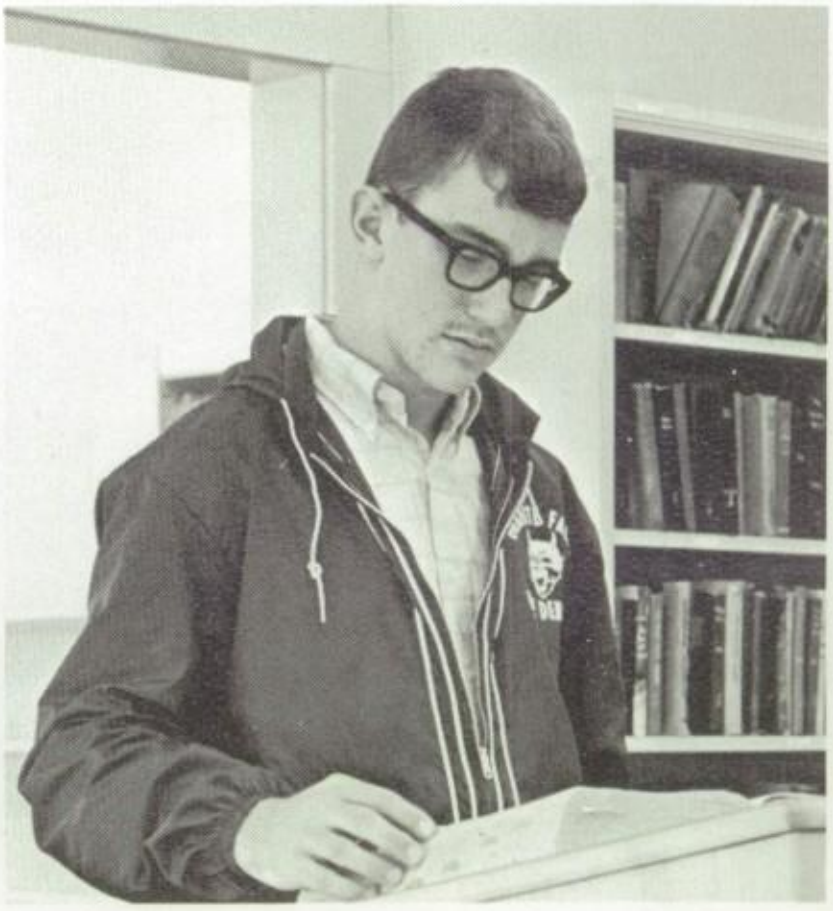

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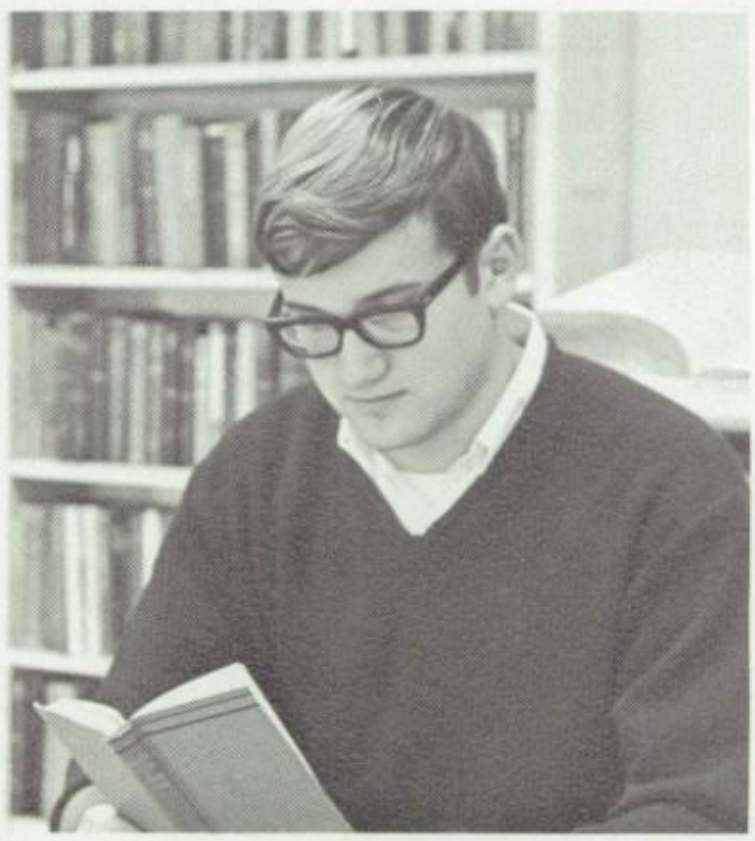

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Steve Bumgarner

The Student Council is made up of students who are of good character and academic standing. It strives to involve the entire student body in school activities. The Council sponsors a welcome to the alumni at Homecoming, an Awards Day, student assembly speakers, and intramural boys basketball. In addition, it selects a citizen-of-the-month and a Christmas Queen. The 1968-69 Student Council has been quite active in encouraging student interest and participation in all school events.

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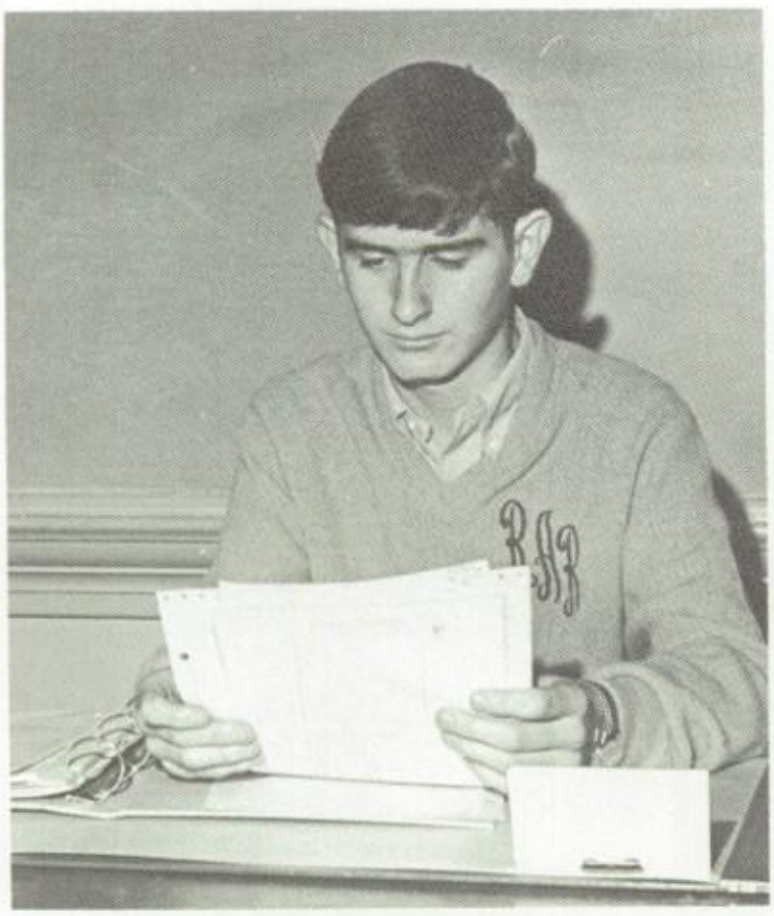

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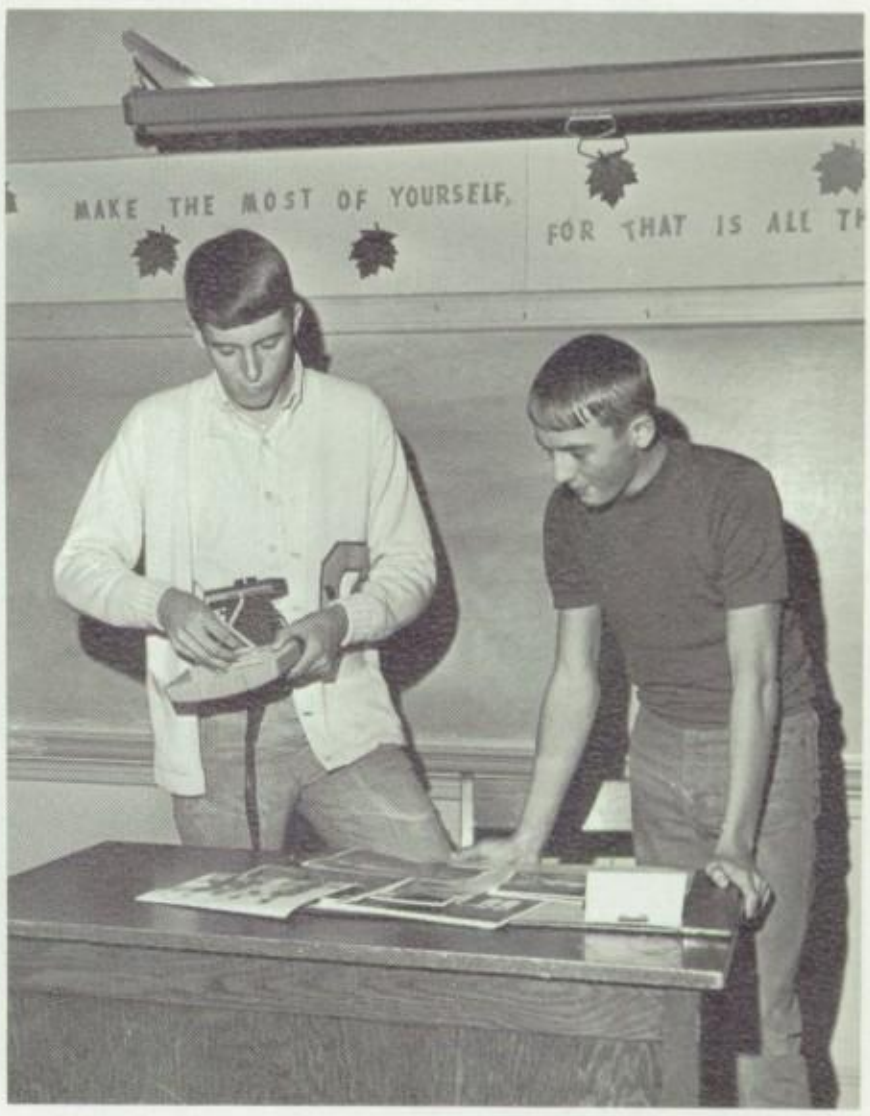

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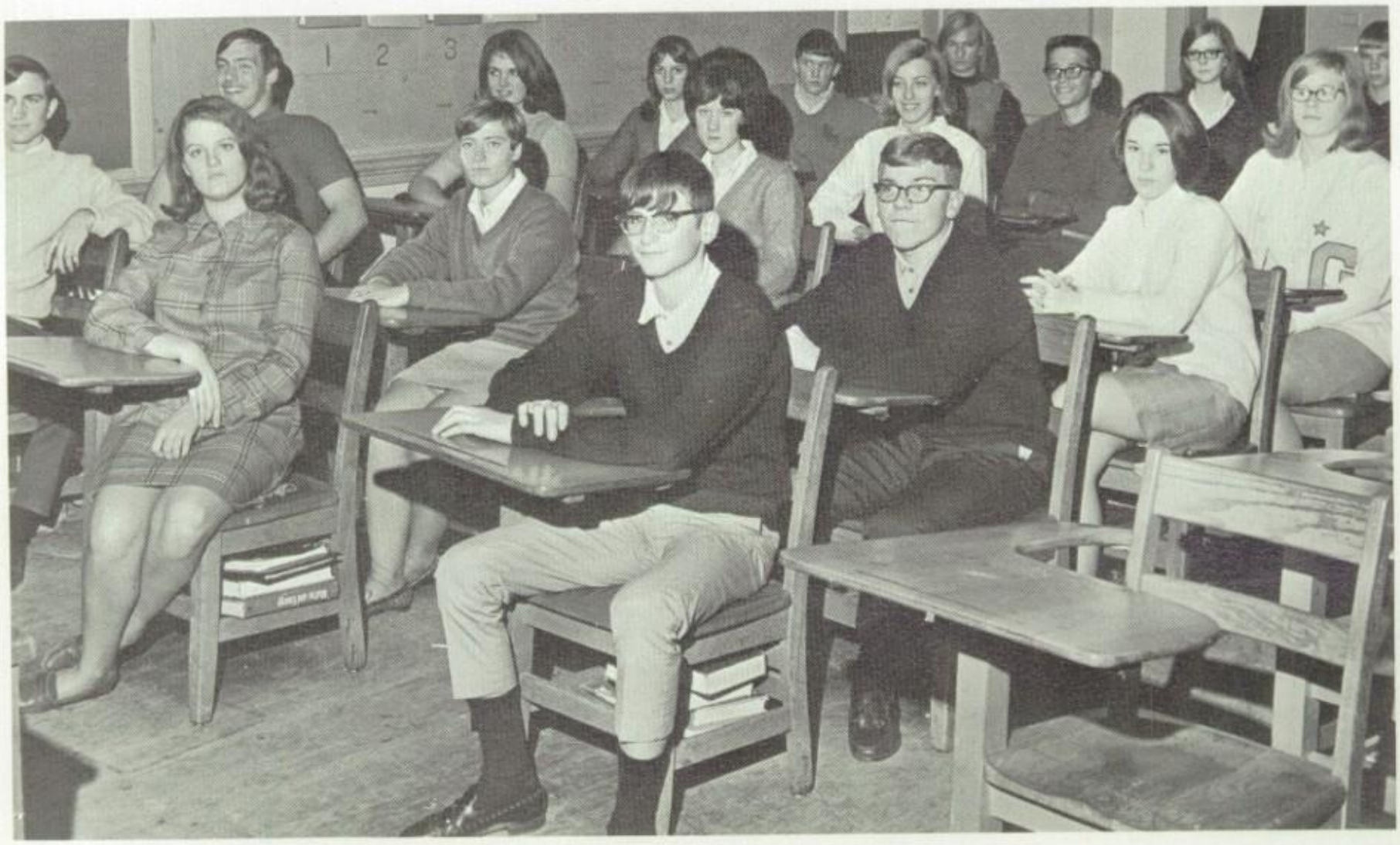

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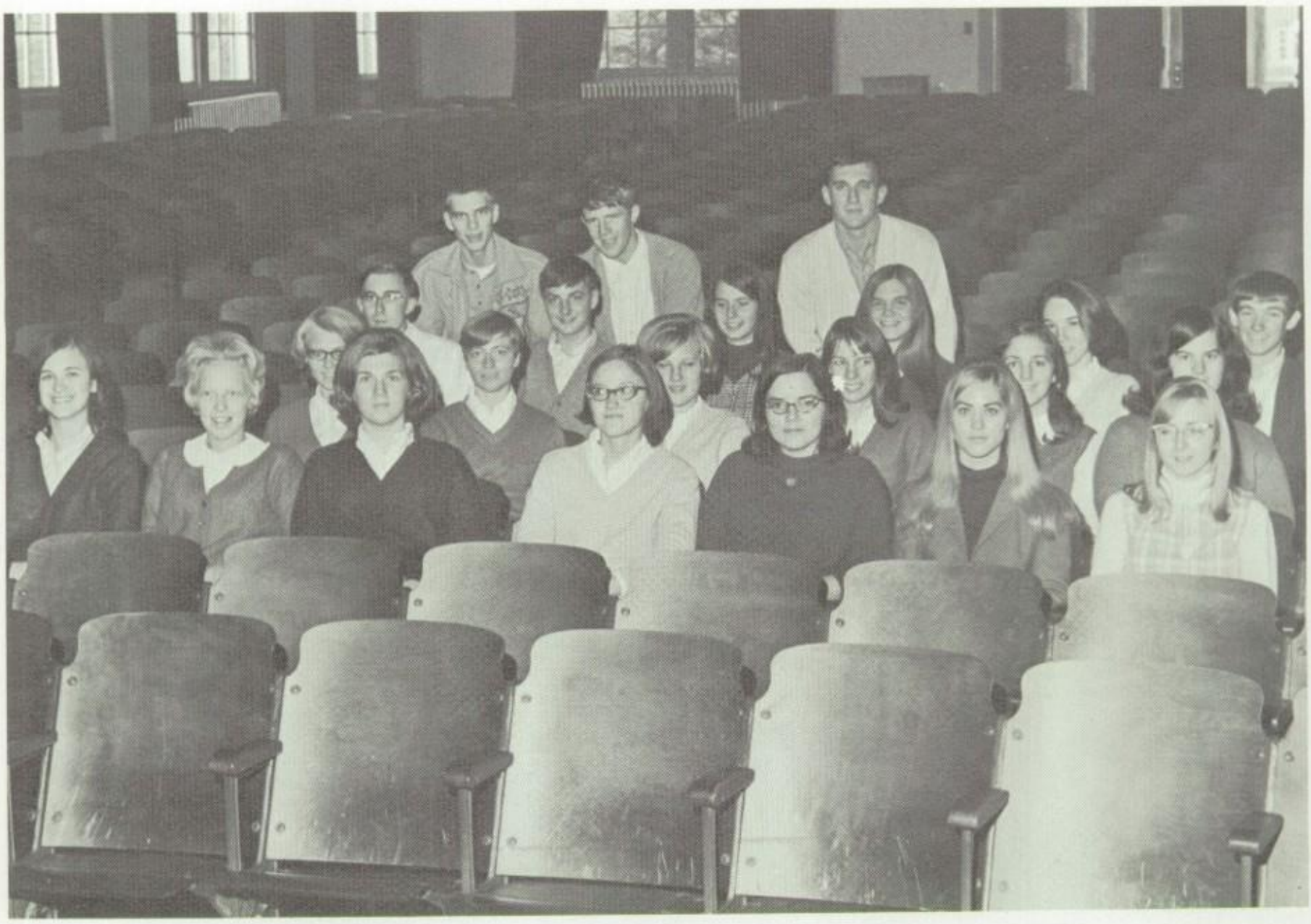
"PEBBLE" CANDIDS

BETA CLUB



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"Let us lead by serving others."

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An Art Club was formed this year at G.F.H.S., for the first time. The club has been very active, as the members planned and did the work for Homecoming '68. The mural on the gym at Homecoming was made by the members of the club.

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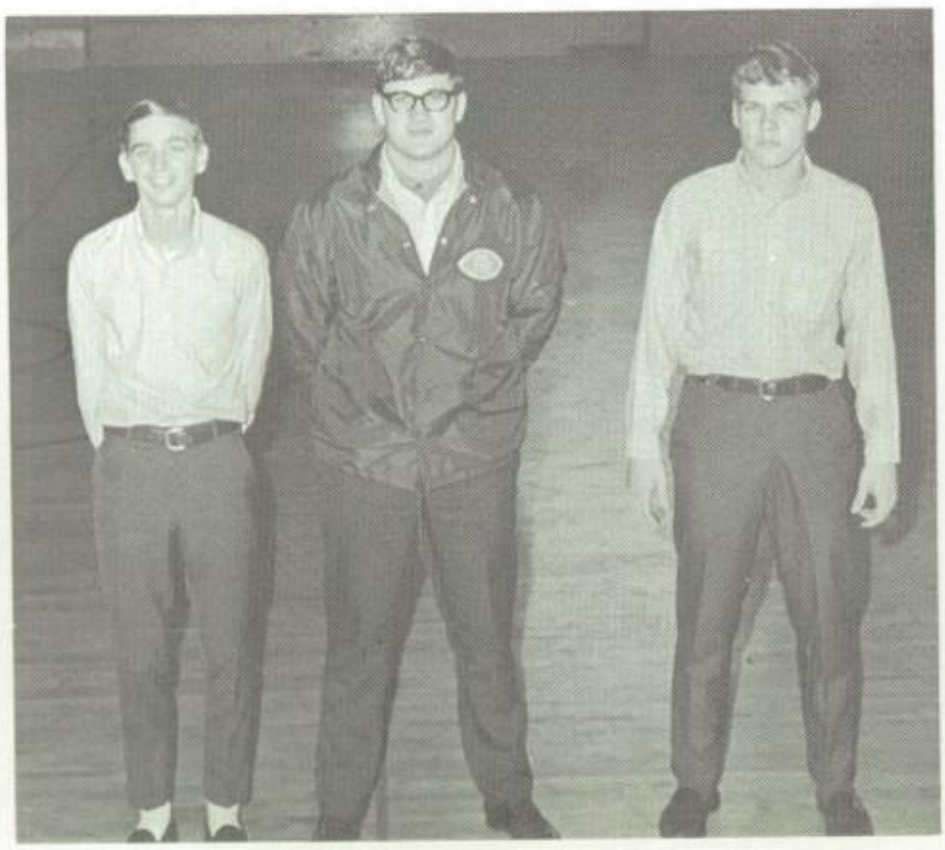

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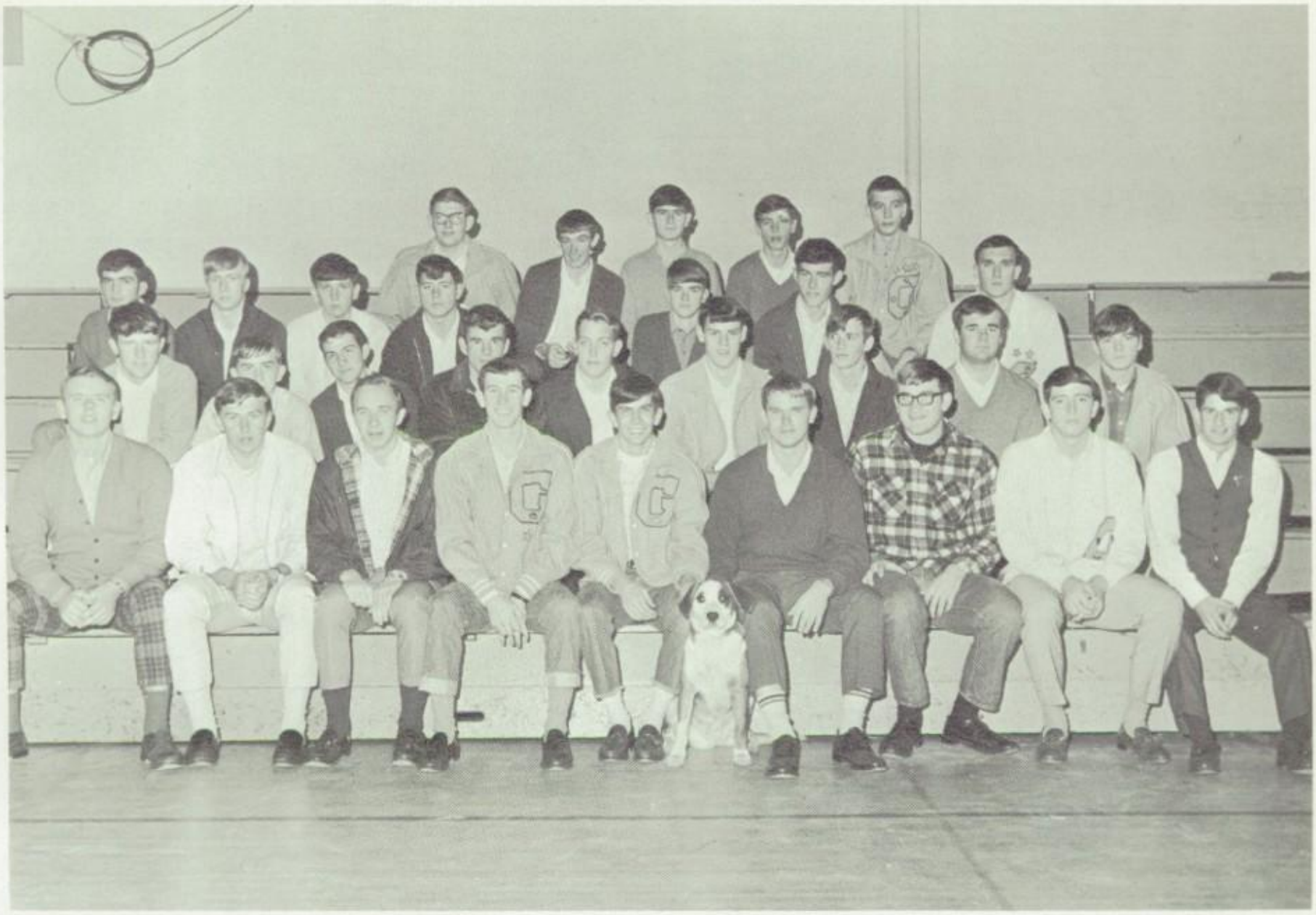

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LE ÇERCLE DE FRANÇAIS

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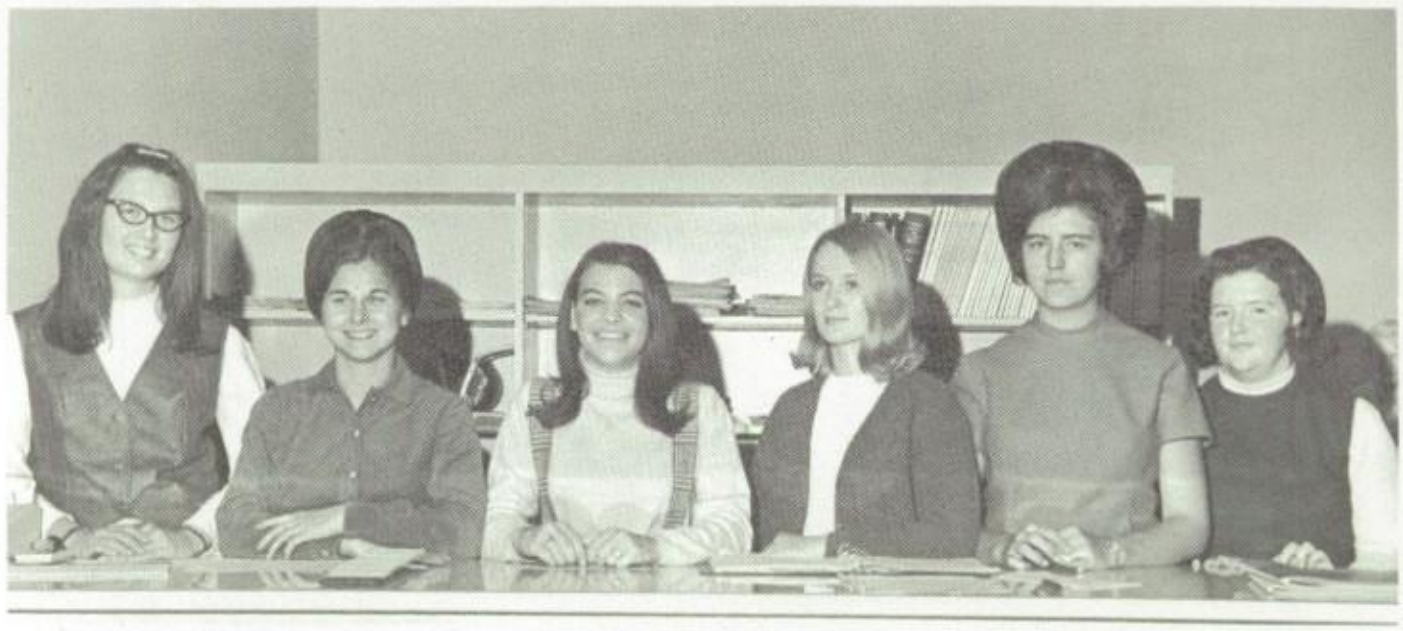

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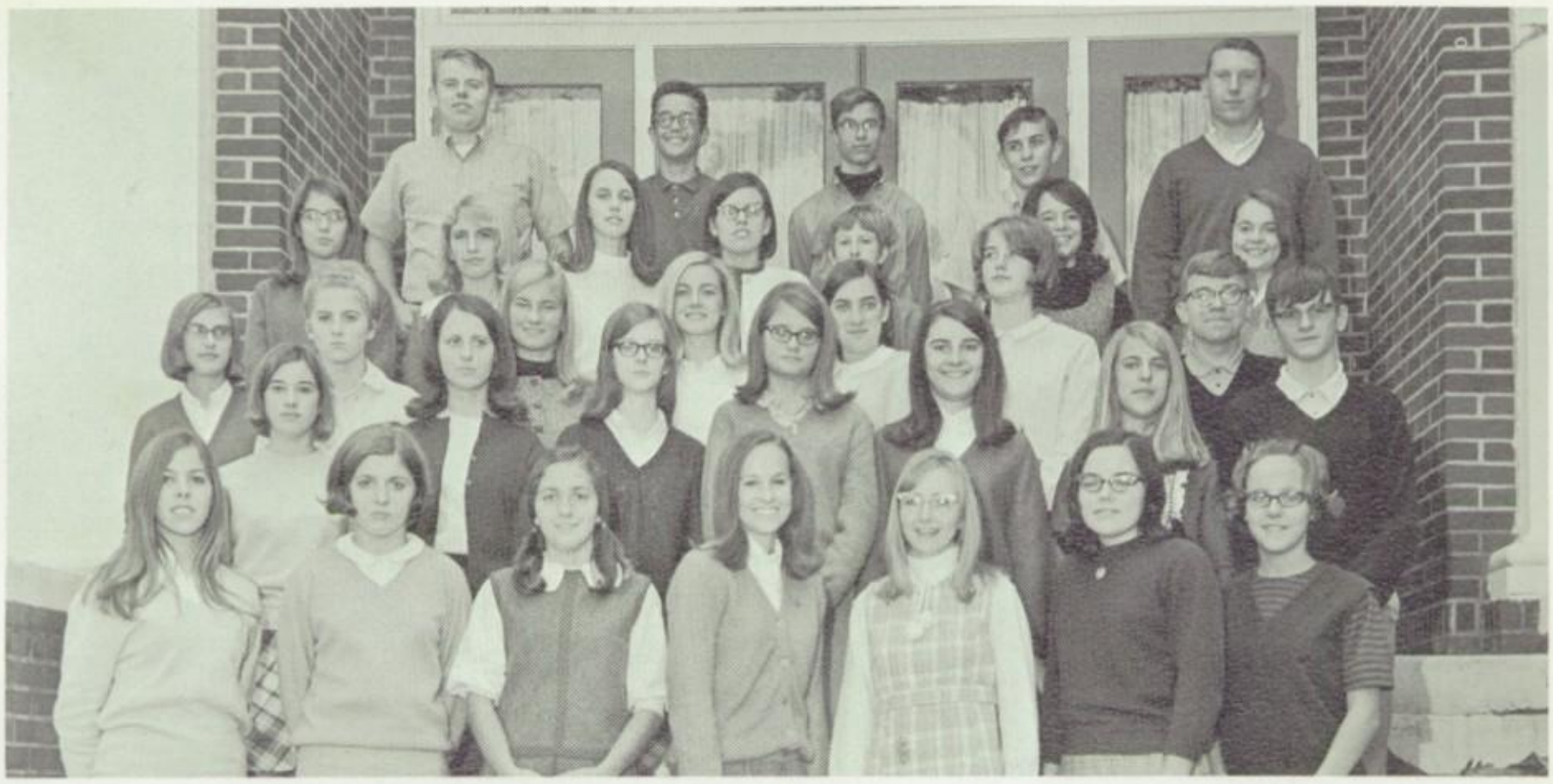

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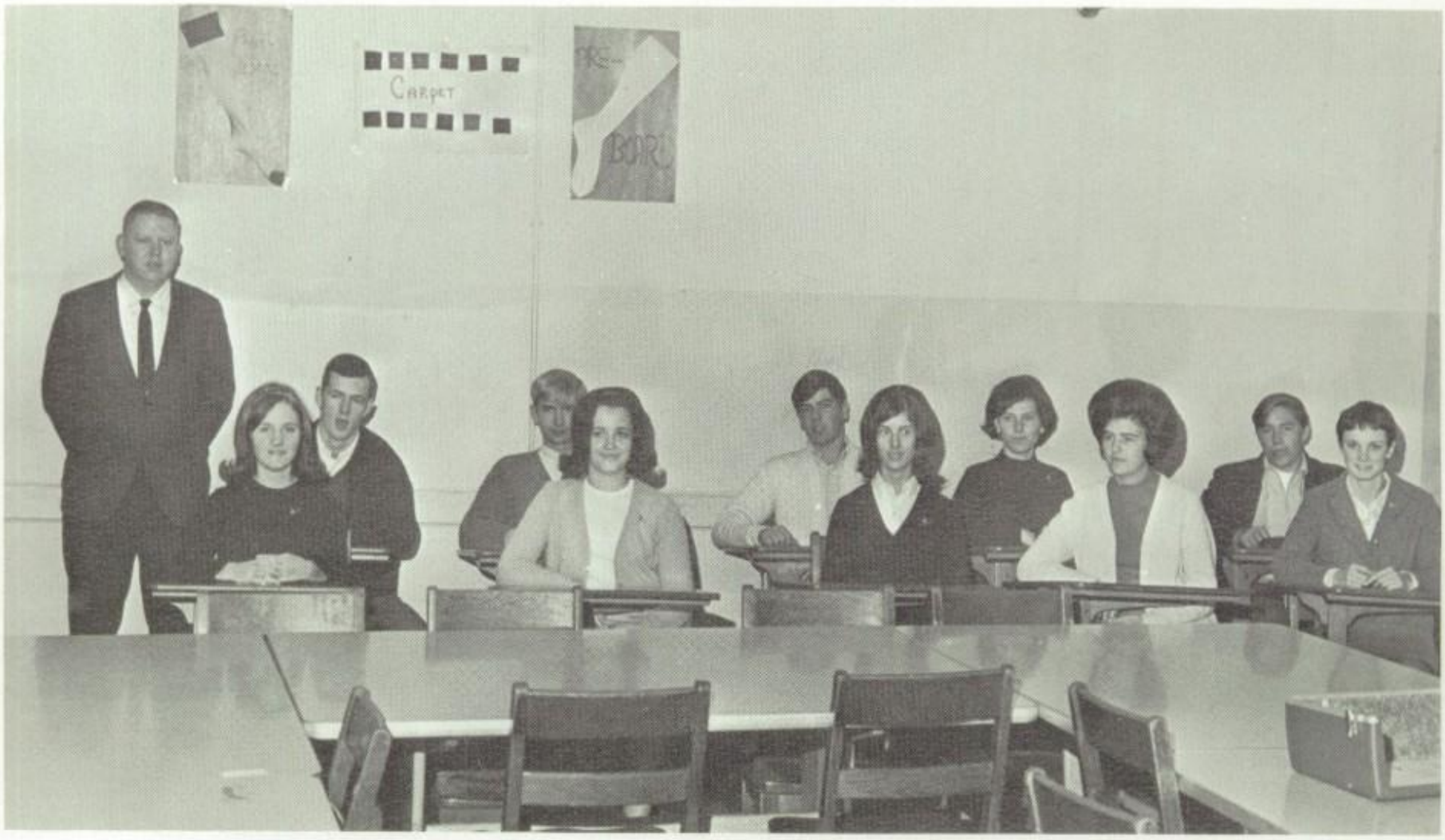

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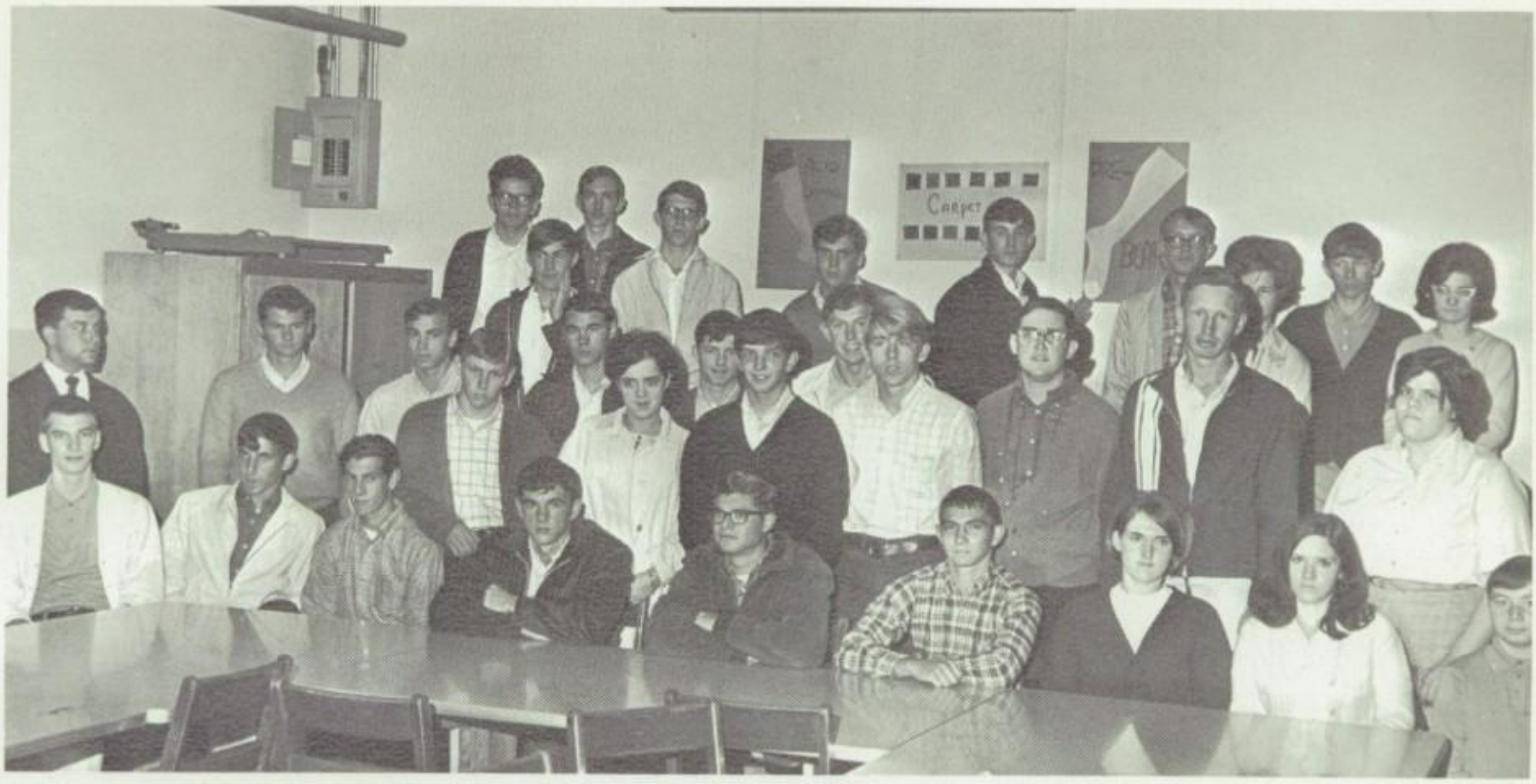

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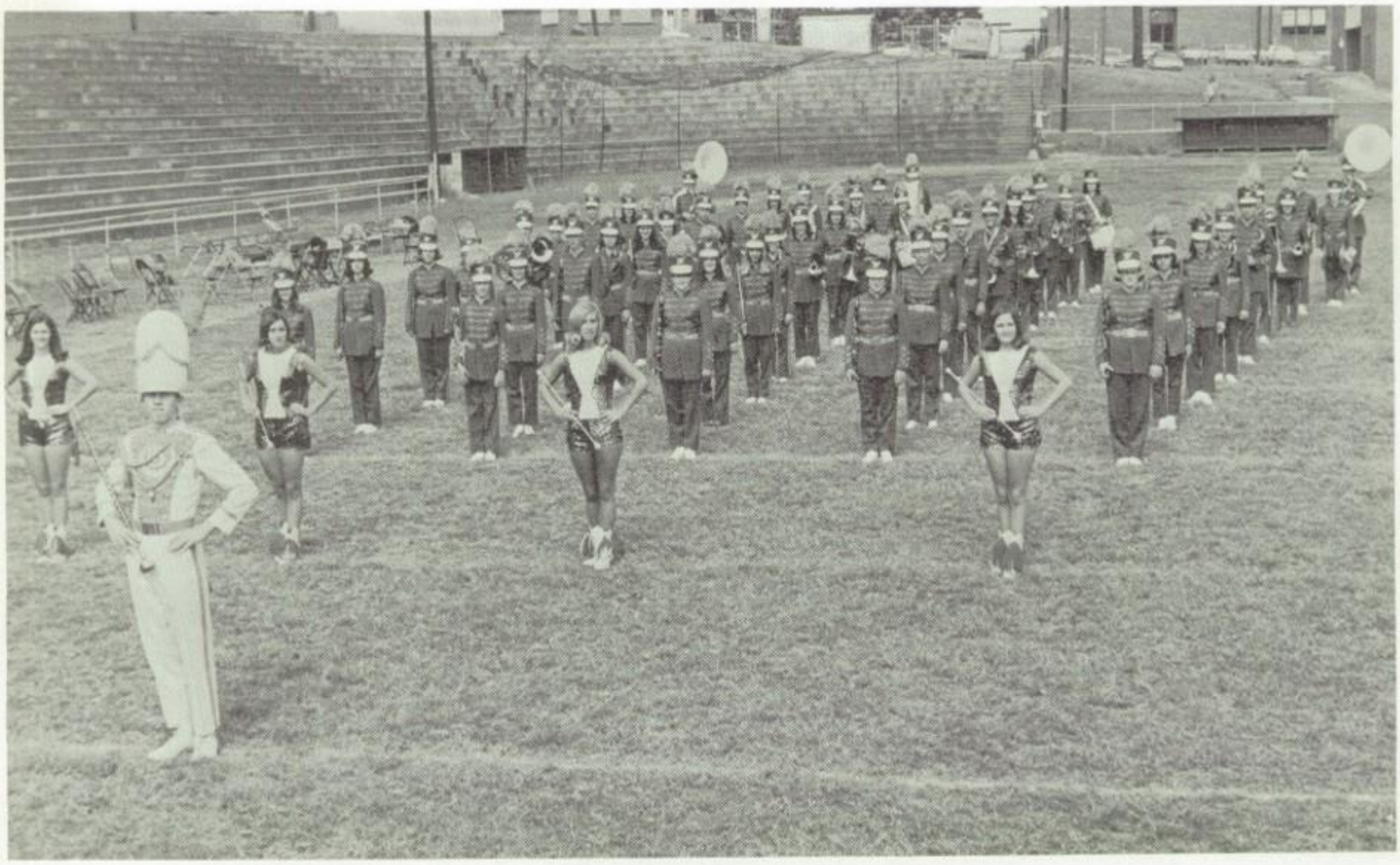

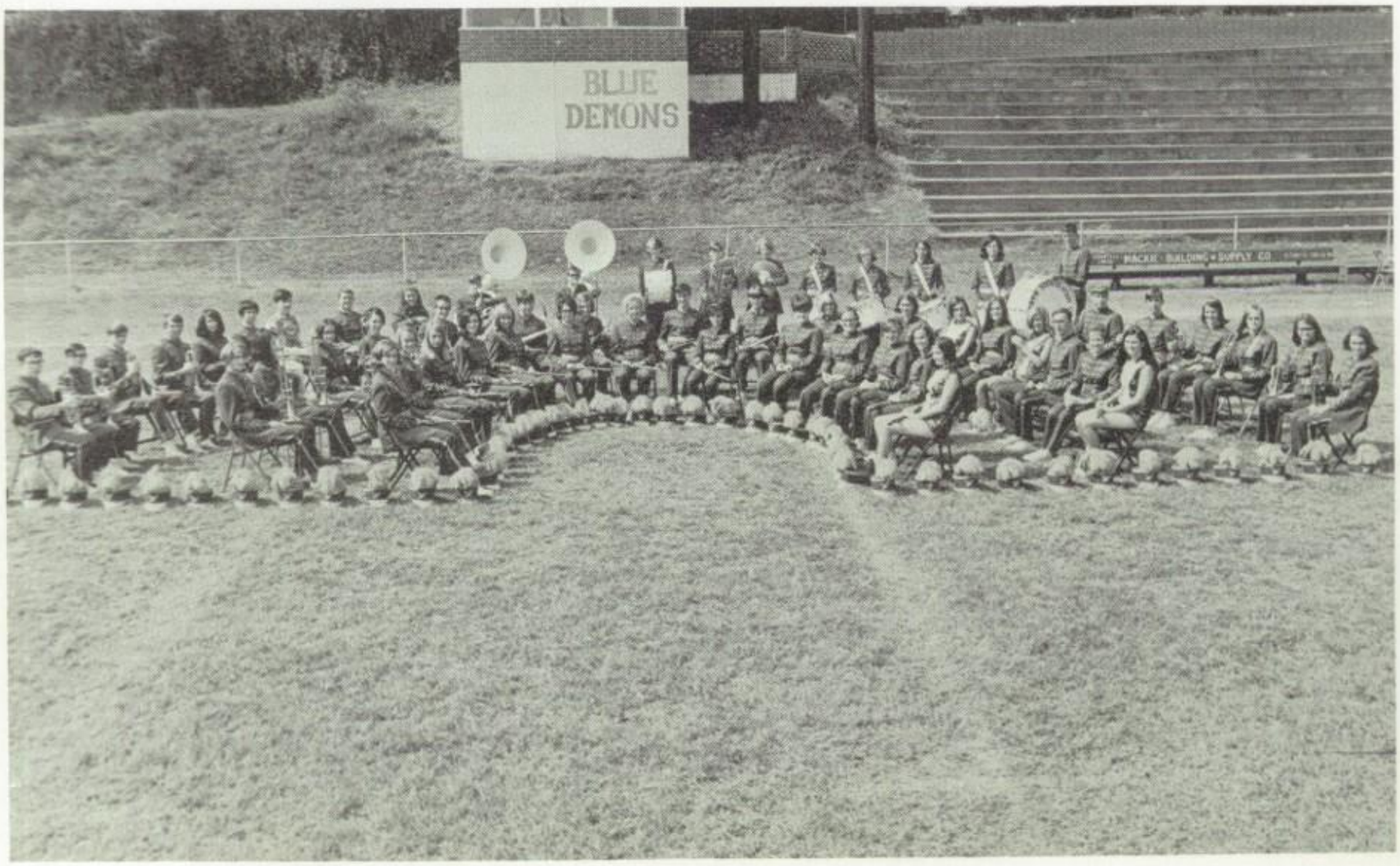

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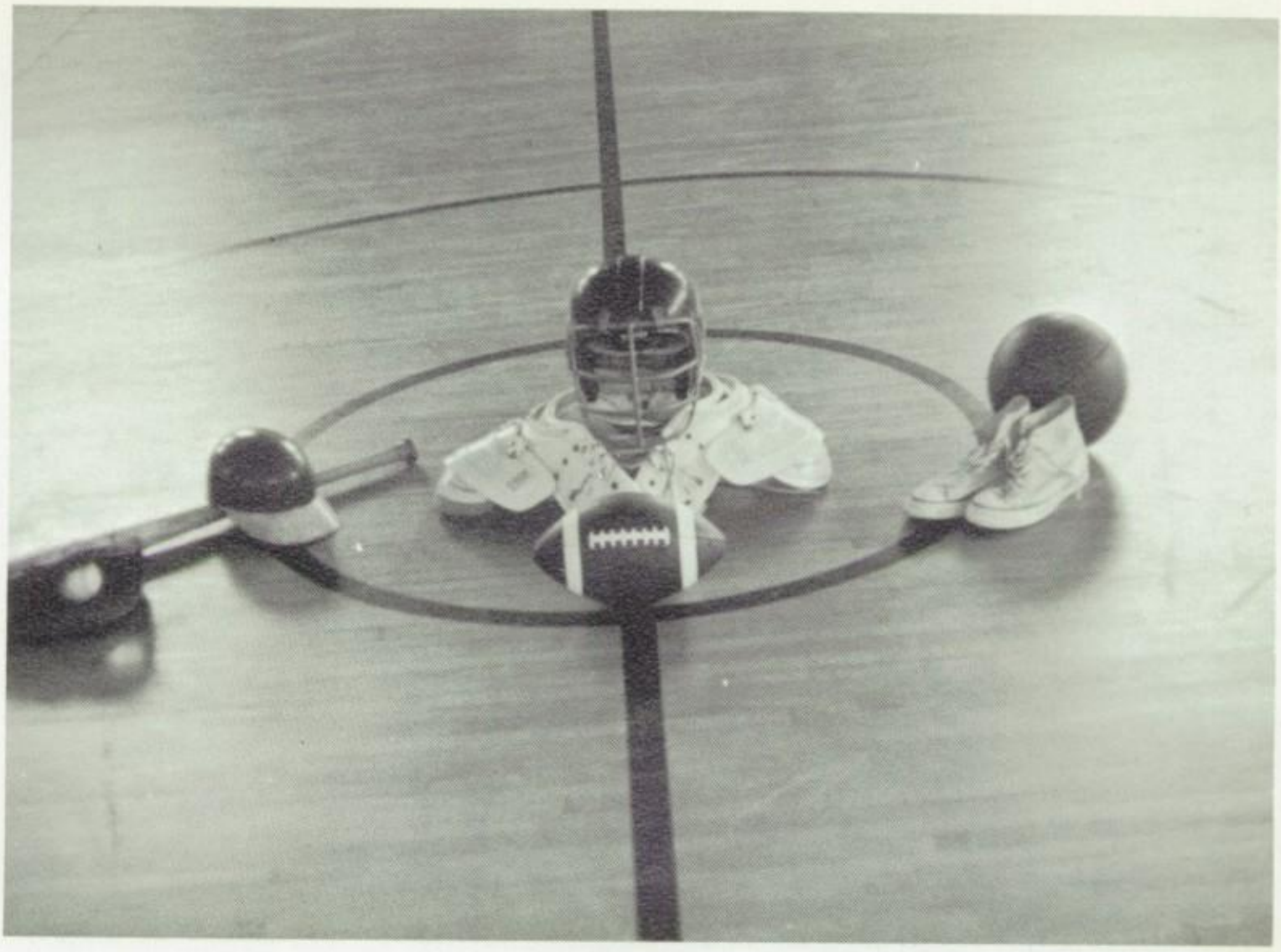

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1968—

FOOTBALL

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MIKE PEARSON

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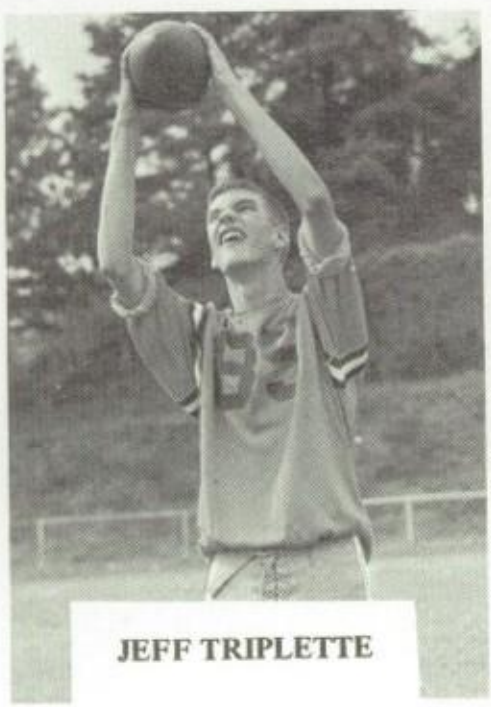

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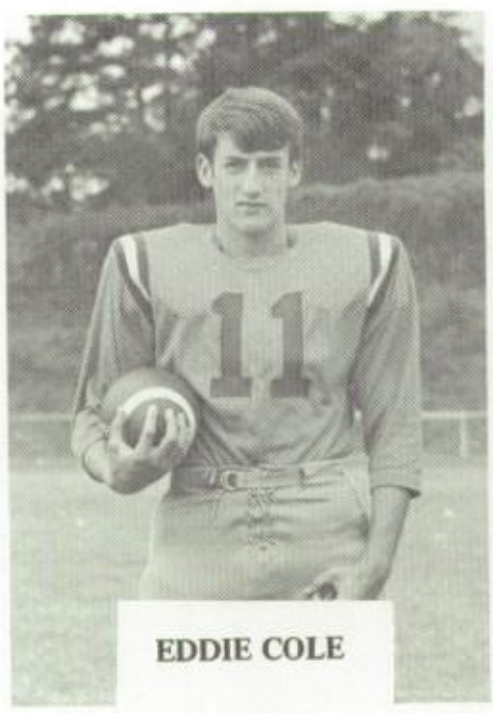

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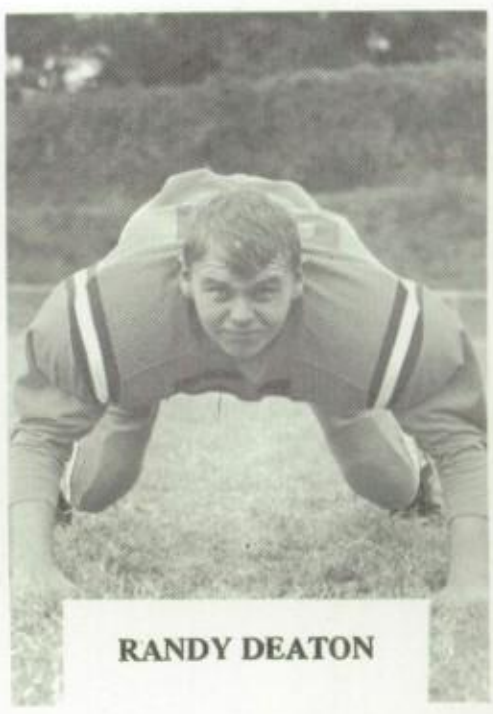


RANDY DEATON

RICHARD JONES

1969

SUMMARY

Demons bounced back to defeat Hildebran 21-14 for their first victory.

The next week the Demons made it two in a row by defeating the G. C. Blue Devils by a score of 33-20.

The next week the Blue Demons were upset by the Fred T. Foard Tigers, 12-0.

After a hard fought loss, the Demons roared back the next week to crush the Trojans of Bandys by a score of 27-6.

The following week the Demons traveled to West Lincoln. On a rain-drenched field the Demons fought hard but lost, 14-0.

The next week the Demons fell victim to a powerful St. Steptens team, 27-7.

The Demons ended the season at Maiden, losing by a score of 34-7.

The graduating seniors would like to wish the 1969 Granite Falls Blue Demons the best of luck in the coming season.

MIKE PEARSON

STEVE BUMGARNER

MIKE DUFFY

MIKE LANEY

BILLY ELMORE

PLAYERS

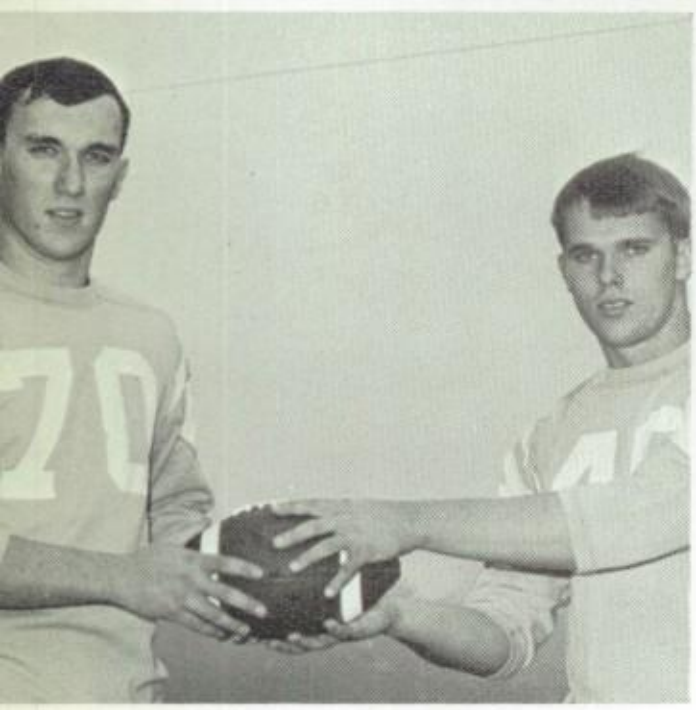
TIM HATCH

LYNN SMITH

BUTCH ESTES

JIMMY EDWARDS

DALE BRIGHT



Captains: Richard Sears and Vaughn Starnes

ROW 1: J. Triplette, T. Hatch, R. Jones, M. Laney, E. Cole, B. Elmore, W. Settlemyre, R. Sears. ROW 2: T. Reep, L. Farr, C. W. Pitts, R. Jones, R. Early, L. Cook, D. Kirby, K. Estes, V. Triplett. ROW 3: S. Teague, B. Parlier, R. Ester, P. Price, R. Goble, K. Yount, R. Duffy.

Granite Falls	7	Hudson 13
Granite Falls	6	Bunker Hill 33
Granite Falls	0	East Lincoln 20
Granite Falls	21	Hildebran 14
Granite Falls	33	Gamewell-Collettsville 20

Coaches Don Kirkpatrick and Wayne Kirby

It's always nice to give the subs a break . . . .

ROW 1: V. Starnes, L. Smith, M. Pearson, D. Bright, M. Duffy, J. Edwards, S. Bumgarner, R. Deaton, B. Estes. ROW 2: B. Miller, J. Horn, P. Duffy, C. Austin, T. Starnes, R. Metcalf, J. Morrison, T. McRary. ROW 3: J. Trivette, T. Bumgarner, J. Fowler, R. Hollar, M. Calloway Managers–B. Huffman, T. Holt, R. Holt.

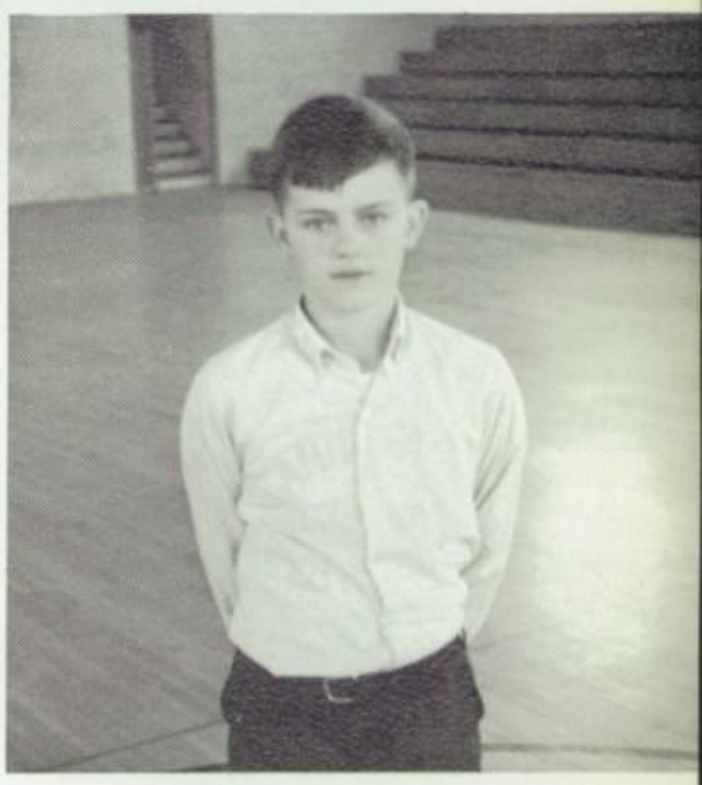
Granite Falls 0 . . . . . Fred T. Foard 12

Granite Falls 27 . . . . . Bandys 6

Granite Falls 0 . . . . . West Lincoln 14

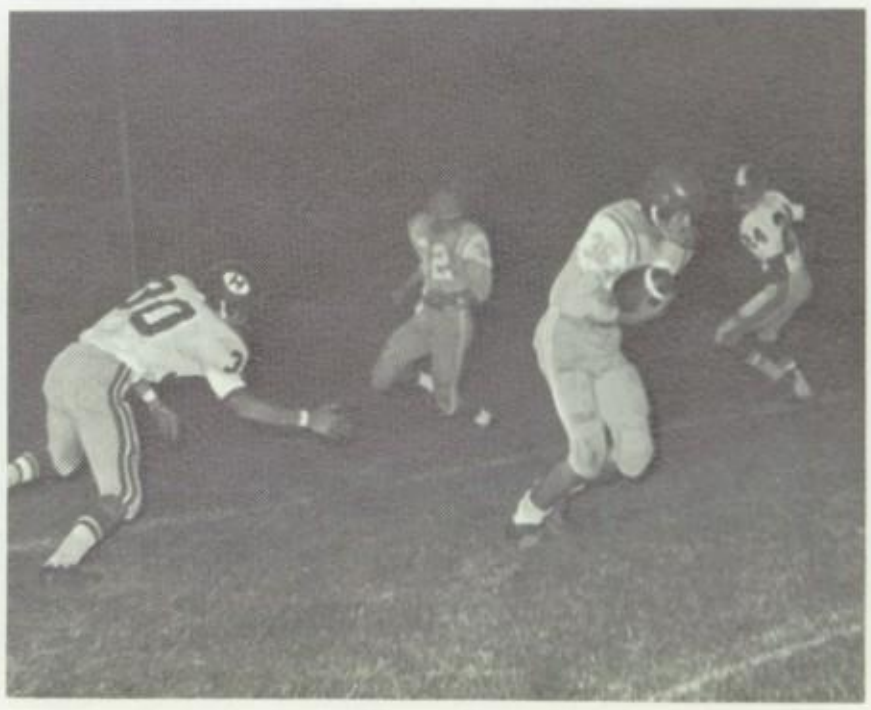
Granite Falls 7 . . . . . St. Steptens 27

Granite Falls 7 . . . . . Maiden 34



Manager Terry Holt

Now if that guy hits you again . . .



Faster than a speeding BULLET . . . .

He's in there!!!!

Man, Who's that wild chick????

Watch out for that piece of grass . . .

Yes sir, anything you say!!!

Did he make it?????

HEAD

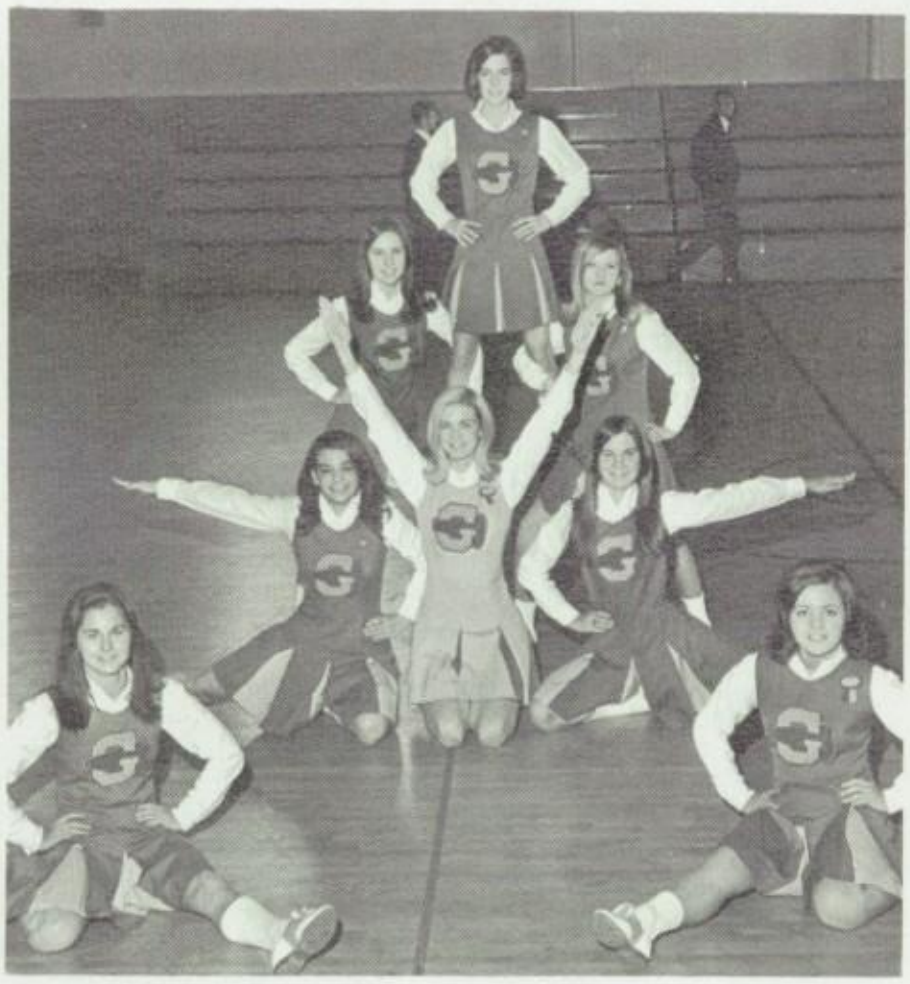
Nancy Reece

CO-HEAD

Jeanne Keener

VARSITY

Mary C. Beane



Sherry Dula

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Sara Mackie

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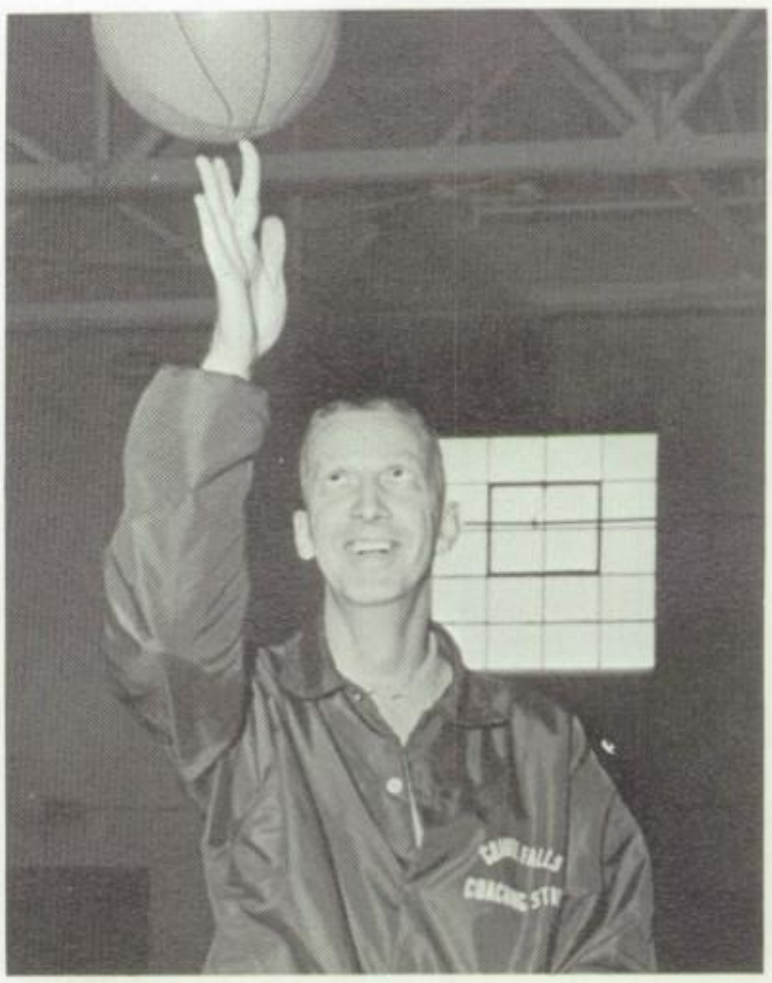
BOYS BASKETBALL

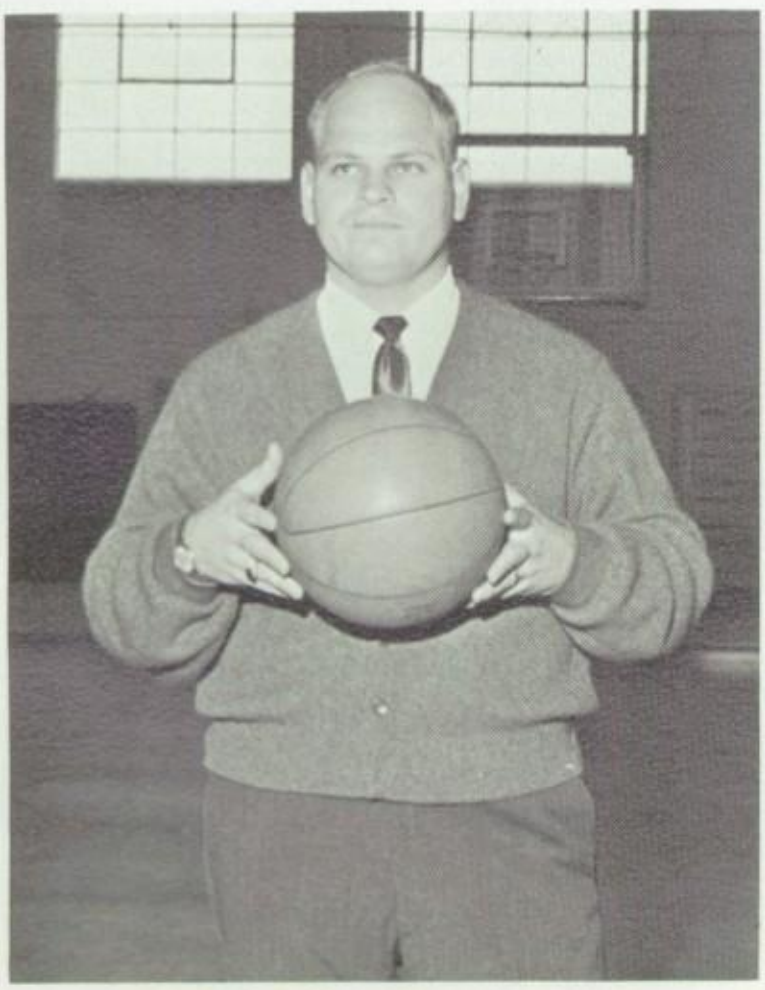
ROW 1: Captains: L. Farr, J. Triplett, T. Reep. ROW 2: T. McRary, K. Davis, C. Herman, V. Triplett, M. Richards, R. Noggle, J. Livingston, D. Kirby, D. Annas, T. Bumgarner, B. Estes, D. Whitener.



Coach Bernard Noble

GIRLS BASKETBALL

ROW 1: C. Corpening, S. Price, D. Laxton, S. Sims, A. Sherill. ROW 2: T. Icard, L. Looper, A. Cook, D. Goric, D. Starnes, K. Laxton. ROW 3: G. Wilson, D. Mitchell, B. Sims, J. White, K. Spencer.



Coach Wayne Kirby

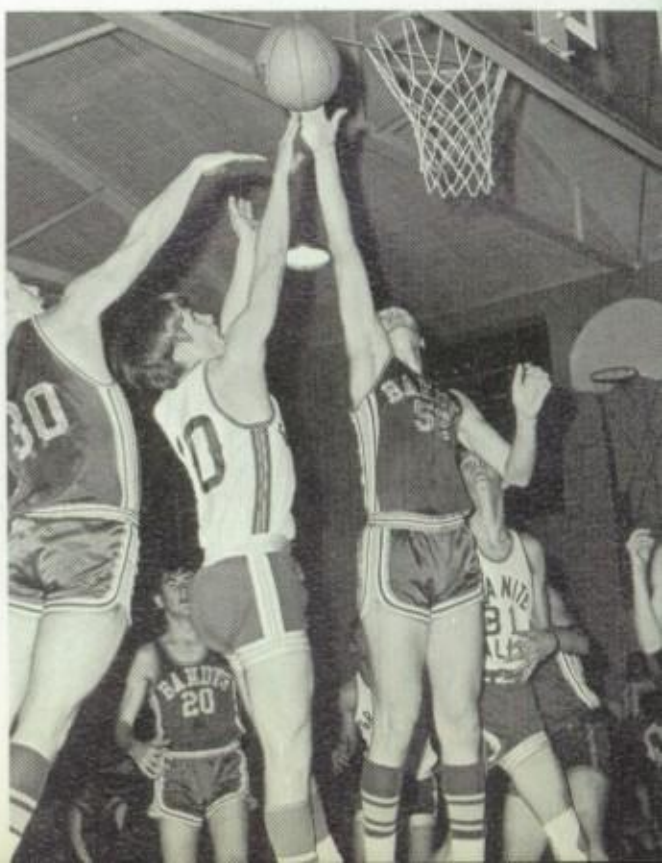
I'm glad he uses BAN!!!!

Kill that MOUSE!!!!

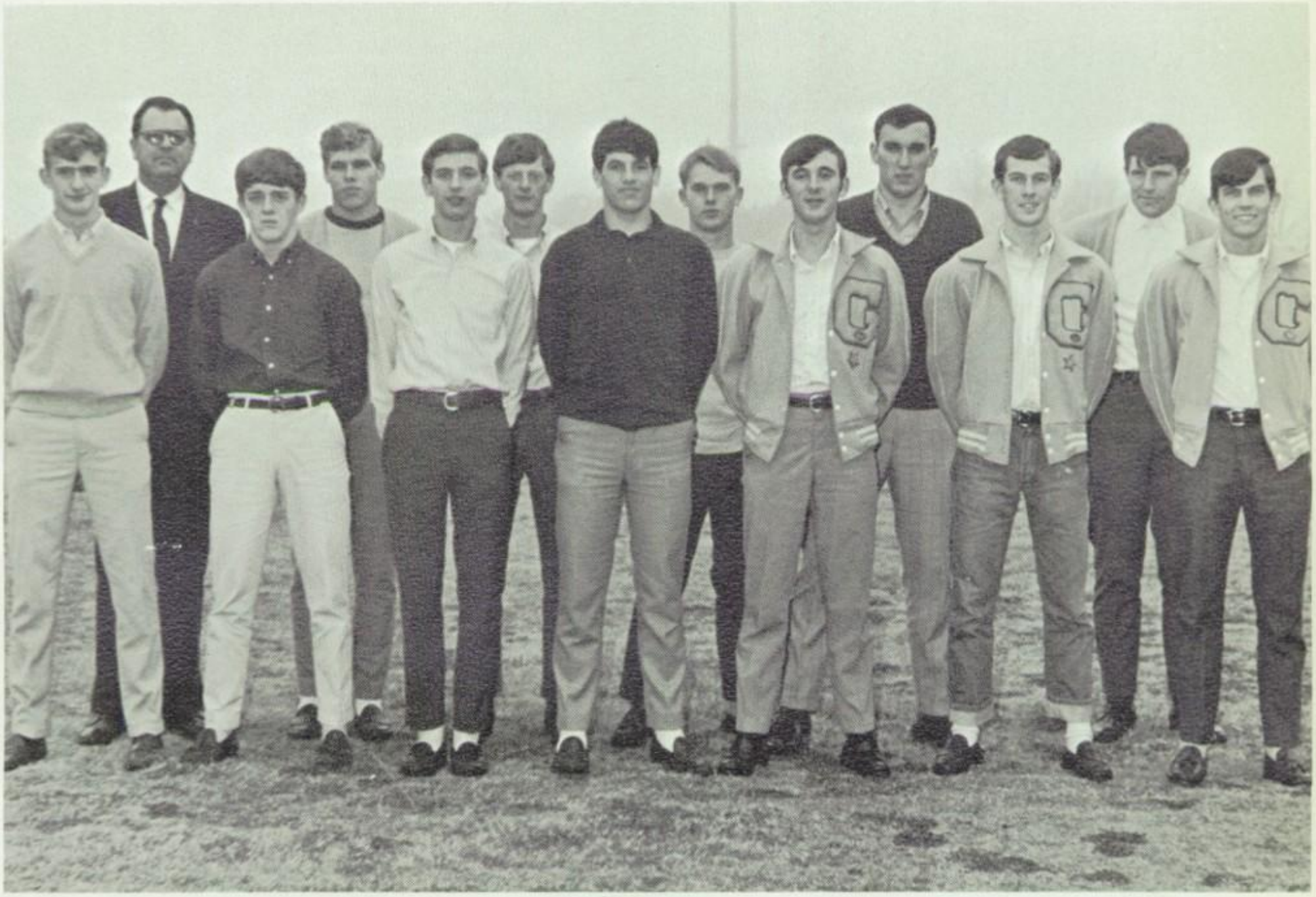
Now who put the SCOPE in my office??

"I love how your eyes glow"

Another block, ?*&%/.



1968 SD-7 CHAMPIONS



ROW 1: Donald Curtis, Tommy Bumgarner, Danny Whitener, Billy Elmore, Mike Pearson, William Settlemyre, Lynn Smith. ROW 2: Coach Deal, Manager–Larry Farr, Kenny Bumgarner, Manager–Vaughn Starnes, Richard Sears, Freddie Sides.

The 1968 Granite Falls Blue Demon baseball team, finished the season with a 16-2 conference record. This was good enough, to win the first conference crown at Granite Falls since 1963.

Leading the team hitters were Jackie Clarke and Billy Elmore, and superior field play was turned in by Tommy Bumgarner and Danny Whitener.

Although the team lost to Allegany in the first round of the state playoffs, 2-1, we the members of the annual staff feel that our school should be proud of this fine team and its coach, M. S. Deal.

We would like to thank the seniors, who played a most important part in this accomplishment. These are: Marty Curtis, Jackie Clarke, Dennis Richards, Steve Whitener, and Danny Hall.

The team also placed three of its members on the all-conference team. These were: Marty Curtis, William Settlemyre, and Lynn Smith. Coach Deal was also selected the coach of the year for leading the team to this record.

The annual staff would like to congratulate this years team, and wish the 1969 team the best of luck.

TRACK TEAM

1ST ROW: Steve Kirby, Johnny Fowler, Jerry Horn, Eddie Cole, Richard Jones, Vaughn Starnes, Kieth Estes, Roger Jones. 2ND ROW: Mike Duffy, Mike Kohnle, Ronnie Duffy, Kieth Starnes, Jeff Triplett, Clarence White, Dale Bright, Tim Hatch, Phil Duffy, Dale Williams, Louis Cook, Reid Early, John Baker.

The 1968 Granite Falls track team was a team to be remembered. Starting the season with many returning lettermen, the team showed the best season in quite sometime. They finished the season with three second place finishes, four third place finishes, and finished sixth in the conference meet held at Morganton.

Coached by capable Don Kirkpatrick the team had many fine preformers. With plenty of young blood returning, the 1969 track team shapes up to definitely be a winner and a contender for the conference crown.

Coach Don Kirkpatrick

1968 GOLF TEAM

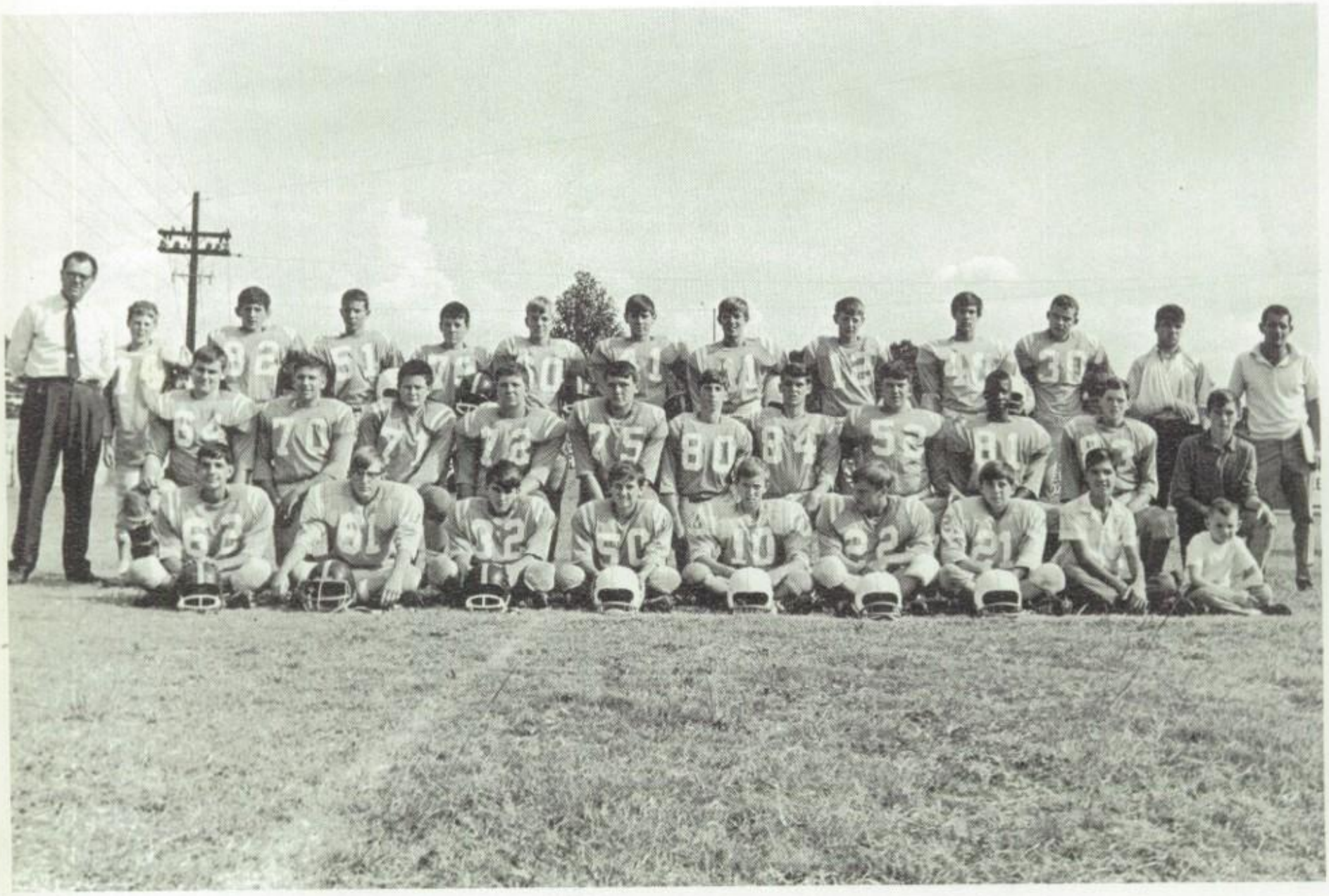
ROW 1: Butch Estes-Captain. ROW 2: Rowan Metcalf, Rick Shore, Von Triplett, Kevin Davis, William Miller.

Coach James Bolick

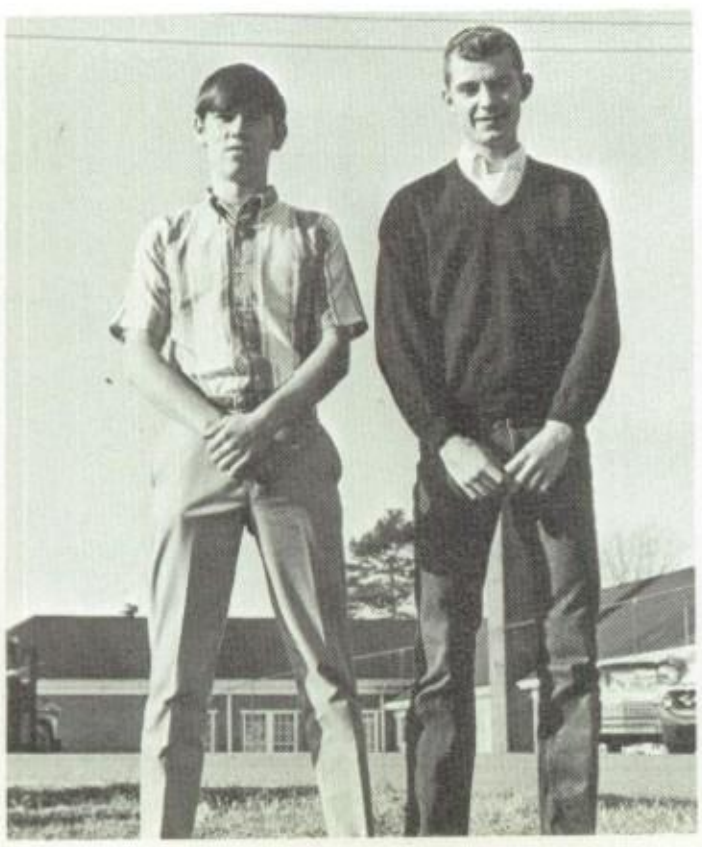
The 1968 Golf Team proved to be a contender for the conference crown. The team finished the season with seven first-place finishes, and three second-place finishes. This record was good enough to give the team third place in the conference.

The coming season also shapes up to be a very successful season. Led by Kevin Davis and Butch Estes and coached by capable Jim Bolick, this year's team looks like a strong contender for the conference crown.

J.V. FOOTBALL



Row 1: G. Workman, W. Bumgarner, R. Curtis, L. Kistler, H. Williams, M. Whitener, W. Winkler, L. Workman, P. Bolick, ROW 2: R. Hollar, R. Bumgarner, J. Kirby, R. Bumgarner, R. Hollar, T. Settlemyre, T. Pressnell, S. Henkel, L. June, T. Hendrick, D. LaFevre. ROW 3: Coach Deal, R. Haas, R. Huffman, B. Sigmon, R. Eckard, D. Starnes, D. Brady, S. Sherrill, G. Woods, R. Huffman, C. Herman, J. Horn, Coach Bolick.



Captains: Carroll Herman and David Brady

Coaches M. S. Deal and Jim Bolick

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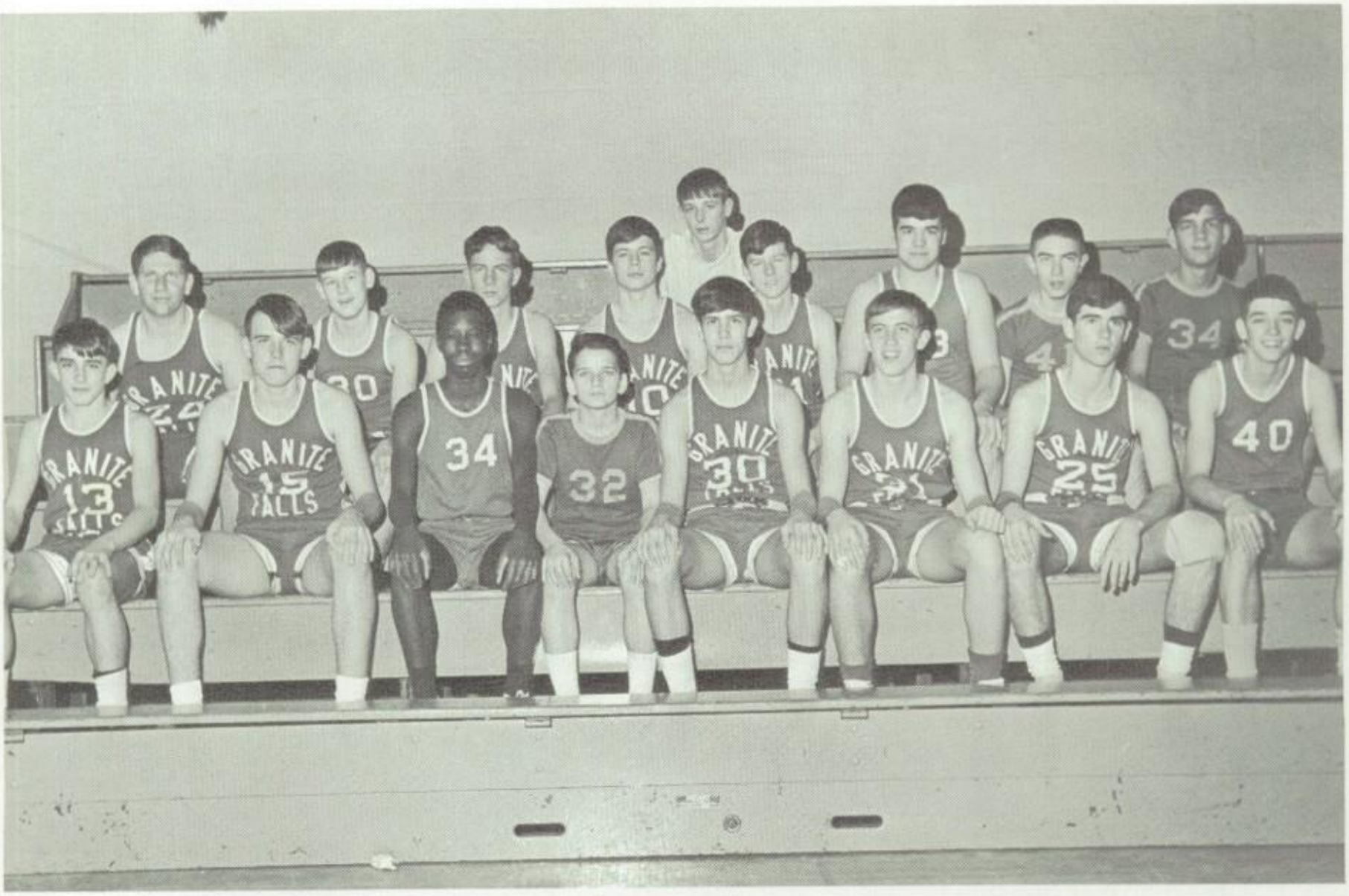

ROW 1: R. Curtis, R. Hollar, L. June, C. Wilson, R. Huffman, S. Sherrill, T. Presnell, T. Reid. ROW 2: R. Bumgarner, E. Austin, B. Sigmon, A. Wilson, T. Hendrix, J. Horn, R. Lail, G. Workman. ROW 3. G. Woods.

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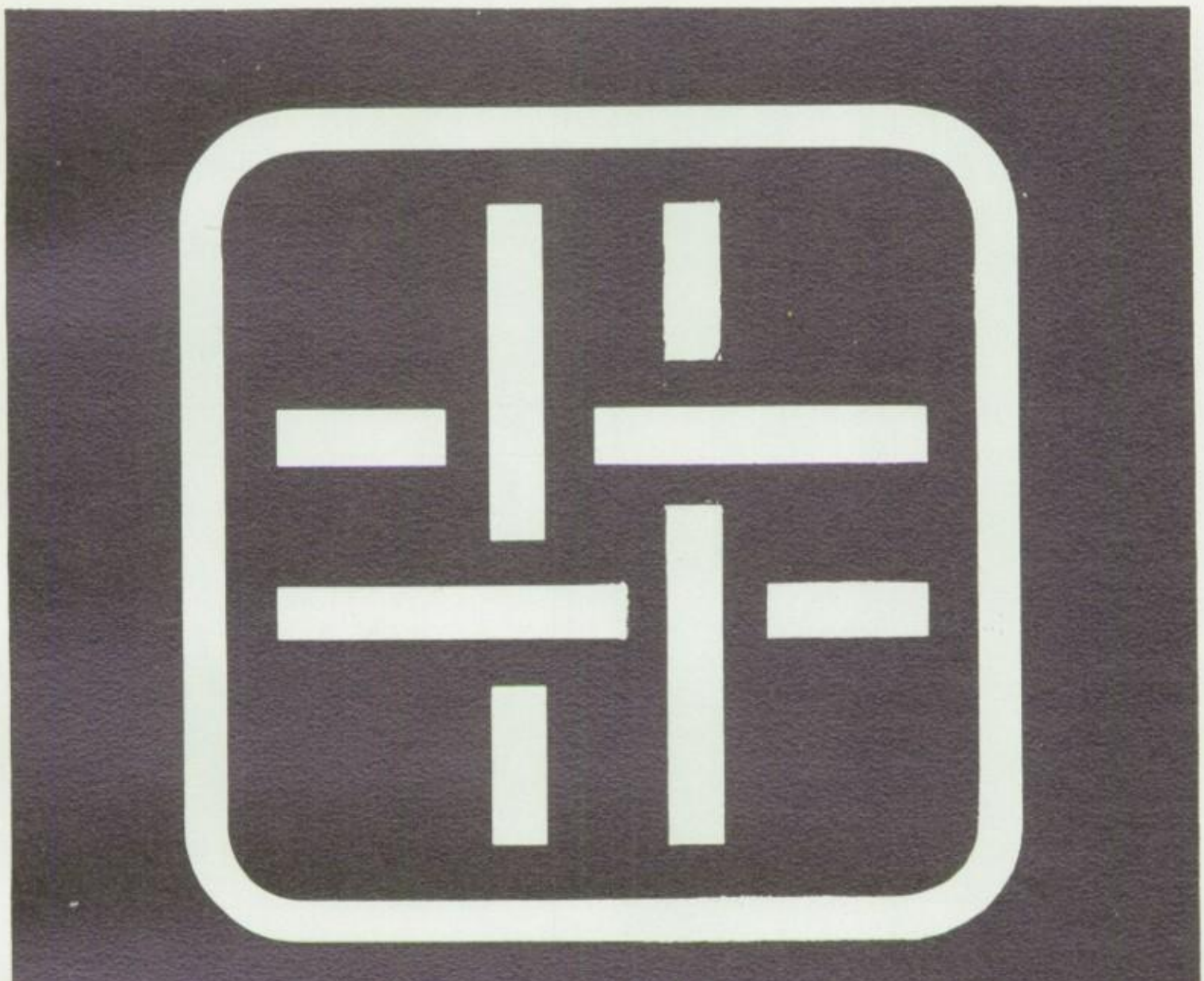

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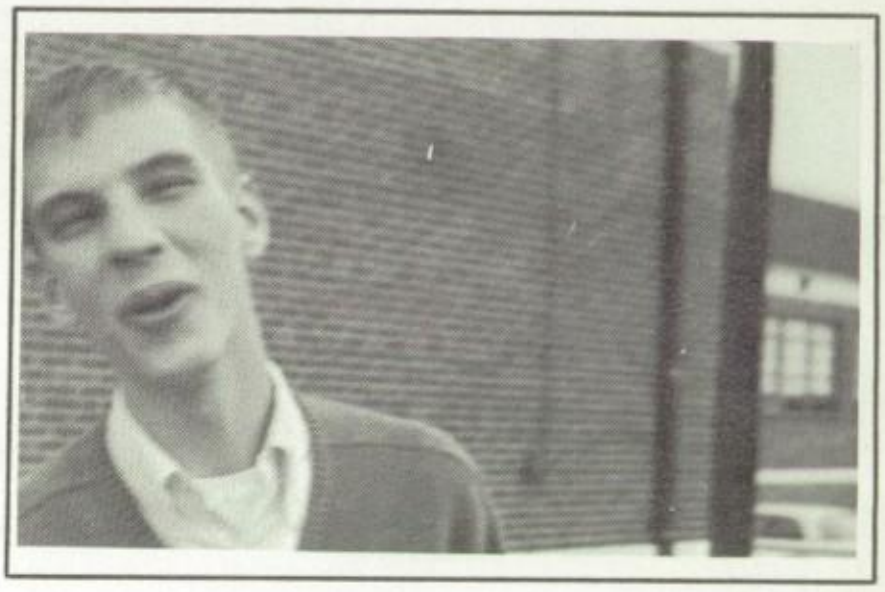

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